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PART I.

GENERAL SUMMARY.

The only changes in the form of the administration during the year under report were the establishment of two Munsiffs' Courts, in connection with which the Courts of the two Town Subedars were abolished. These changes are described in detail in the 47th paragraph of the report.

2. The small establishment of native surveyors employed under the Madras Survey Department in making detached surveys in Coorg was fully employed.

The Topographical Survey has not yet completed the District map of Coorg, and some of the Taluk maps are still under correction. A proposal for a Revenue Survey and Settlement of Coorg to be effected by the Mysore Revenue Survey was made during the year, and has been accepted in principle by the Government of India. The Forest Department made considerable progress in forest surveys.

3. As compared with the demand of the preceding year, there was a net decrease of Rs. 23,592 under the head of land revenue. The decrease is entirely due to the resignation of land taken up to coffee cultivation, and to extraordinary temporary remissions granted to certain half ruined estates to give the owners a chance of recovery.

4. Some improvement was apparent in the conduct and working of the Police. The pay of some of the higher appointments was slightly raised. The percentage of cases investigated by the Police in which convictions were secured was greater, and the value of property recovered was 72 per cent against 42 per cent in the previous year.

5. The number of offences reported was much larger than in the previous year, and the number of convictions was smaller. This was partly due to an increase of false charges and partly to a real increase of crime caused principally by quarrels in Coorg families. The number of Criminal Courts was reduced from 25 to 23 as explained in the 25th paragraph of the report.

6. The chief defect in Jail accommodation hitherto had been the lack of separate and distinct wards for under-trial, civil, and female prisoners; but this evil has been remedied in the year under report. The Jail now provides sufficient accommodation for 134 prisoners. The daily average number of prisoners in the jail was 95. The health of the prisoners was not so good as in the previous year judging from the number of admissions into hospital and of deaths; but the condition of the prisoners generally was better.

7. There was a decrease in the number of civil suits instituted, with a rise in their average value. The newly appointed Munsiffs have done very well.

8. There was a slight decrease in the number of documents registered under the Registration Act, but the value of property involved was higher. A satisfactory feature in the working of the Registration Department is the steady increase in the number of optional registrations during the past three years.

9. There was a decrease generally in the receipts of the Municipalities in Coorg, due chiefly to large outstanding balances. The expenditure was less than in 1884—85.

10. A corps of Rifle Volunteers, consisting of two companies, has been formed in Coorg; the enlistments are mainly from the body of European Coffee Planters.

11. There has been a slight increase in the area under cereal crops, and a decrease in the area under coffee. There is said to be an area of about 11,000 acres of coffee cultivation in the *banes* or blocks of forest attached to wet land holdings. Part of this has to be now assessed under the rules which have been lately issued for dealing with such cases.

12. The prices of rice and ragi were a little higher and the local price of coffee a little lower than in the preceding year. A startling fall has occurred in the price of cardamom, which is attributed to Planters in Ceylon having turned their attention to this cultivation, and having thrown large quantities upon the market.

13. The change in the forest law referred to in previous years' reports had not been effected at the close of the year under report. The final decision of the Government of India in favour of the application to Coorg of the Indian Forest Act VII of 1878 has since been received. One square mile has been added to the reserved forests, and 60 acres to the teak and sandalwood plantations. More timber was felled by the Forest Department than in the preceding year, but the sales from the depots were less. The income and expenditure were both less. The results of fire protection have been less successful than in the preceding two years owing partly to the negligence of the Forest subordinates and partly to the untoward circumstance of fires having crossed into Coorg from the adjoining forests of Mysore and Wynaad.

14. The budget allotment for public works was exceeded by Rs. 7,817. The work connected with the building of the bridge over the river Cauvery at Siddapur was nearly completed at the close of the year. All the old roads are said to have been raised to standard and maintained in trafficable order throughout the year. On the whole, considering the difficulties, the work done by the Public Works Department during the year is not unsatisfactory, but the public have complained with some reason of the state of some of the roads and bridges.

15. The arrangements made for combining the Telegraph and Post Offices throughout Coorg were completed. The number of messages which passed through the offices in Coorg were less than those of the previous year.

16. The total demand amounted to Rs. 6,41,183, or Rs. 64,547 less than in the previous year. The falling off occurs mainly under coffee land assessment, forests and excise.

17. The amount to be collected including the outstanding balance was Rs. 8,33,915; of which Rs. 6,43,628 were realized, leaving a balance of Rs. 1,90,287. This balance was reduced at the close of June 1886 to Rs. 89,062; of which the greater portion was on account of coffee assessment remaining to be recovered.

18. The net receipts, after deducting refunds and charges against income, amounted to Rs. 4,50,619 against Rs. 4,75,150 in the previous year. The expenditure charged against net income was Rs. 3,36,592 against Rs. 3,77,915 in the previous year; the surplus revenue was therefore Rs. 1,14,027 against Rs. 97,235.

19. The collections under District funds amounted to Rs. 42,170 leaving a balance of Rs. 1,711 for collection at the end of the year. The collections under Municipal funds, including balance in hand, amounted to Rs. 26,538 and the expenditure to Rs. 21,861.

20. The number of births recorded was 17·48 per mille against 14·87 per mille in 1884—85. The number of deaths was 16·57 against 15·08. For the first time for several years the number of births registered exceeded the number of deaths. As usual the greater proportion of deaths, or about four-fifths, is attributed to fever. About one-tenth the number of deaths was from small-pox, but there were no deaths from cholera.

21. Education continues to exhibit commendable progress. There were 202 more pupils attending the 101 public and private schools, 6 of which were opened during the year.

22. Mr. J. B. Lyall made over charge of the office of the Chief Commissioner to Mr. A. H. T. Martindale on the 21st May 1885 preparatory to proceeding on furlough for one year. Mr. C. E. R. Girdlestone officiated as Chief Commissioner from the 2nd June 1885 to the close of the year under report.

PART II.

I. PHYSICAL AND POLITICAL GEOGRAPHY.

1. Vide paragraphs 1 to 13 of the report for 1882—83.

POLITICAL.

2. For standing information under the several sections of this head, vide paragraphs 15 to 41 of the report for 1882—83.

3 CHANGES IN THE ADMINISTRATION.

Nil

RELATIONS WITH TRIBUTARY STATES AND FRONTIER AFFAIRS.

Nil.

II. ADMINISTRATION OF THE LAND.

SURVEYS.

4. Forty-eight blocks of land applied for, or appropriated for cultivation, of an area of 561·08 acres, and 16 Devarakadus or sacred forests of an area of 65·79 acres have been demarcated and surveyed. 9 special surveys were also made of lands of various kinds having an area of 559·38 acres.

5. The original plots of 128 blocks of waste land, applied for or appropriated, of an area of 620·72 acres, of 6 Devarakadus of an area 161·86 acres, and of one special survey of an area of ·53 acres were finally tested in the field.

6. Much miscellaneous work was also done in refixing missing village and estate boundary stations, and in inspecting many estates and their boundaries for administrative and revenue purposes.

7. Seventy-four Maps of estates, Devarakadus, and blocks specially surveyed, of the aggregate area of 1,475 acres, were plotted on the scale of 16 inches to the mile. 22 estate and Devarakadu maps have been lithographed, and the maps of two forest reserves, comprising an area of 7681·38 acres, have been lithographed afresh the stock having been exhausted. 13 other forest maps on the 4 inch scale have been prepared.

8. The final correction and compilation of the taluk maps of Kiggatnad, Mercara, Padinalknad and Yedinalknad, are still pending owing to various causes connected with the rectification of the boundaries. The harmonizing of traverses of the Coorg district map has been completed, and the compilation of the map is in progress.

9. The total survey charges amounted to Rs. 4,842, or Rs. 286 in excess of those of the previous year.

SETTLEMENT AND WASTE LANDS.

10. Only 31·64 acres of waste land were sold under the waste land rules, realizing Rs. 655—6—0, inclusive of the value of timber standing. Lands sold for building sites realized Rs. 1,877—11—8.

11. The subjoined table exhibits the demand of the year as contrasted with that of the preceding year under the several heads of land revenue.

Description.	1884—85.	1885—86.	Increase.	Decrease.
Assessment on Coffee land ..	1,33,193 4 0	1,08,377 14 1	... ...	24,815 5 11
Do *Saga* land wet ...	79,807 14 7	80,997 5 10	1,189 7 3	... ...
Do Do dry ..	8,260 6 6	8,155 2 10	... ...	105 3 8
Do *Jamma* do ...	62,061 5 0	61,856 10 0	... ...	207 11 0
Do *Umbli* do .	6,471 10 2	6,456 14 3	... .	14 11 11
Do *Jodi* wet ..	6,151 7 3	6,161 7 10	10 0 7	... ...
Do do dry .	366 11 9	366 15 9	0 4 0	... ...
Garden land	457 0 4	460 8 2	3 7 10	... ...
Dhuli Paddy Tax	18,450 3 5	18,555 8 2	105 4 9	... ...
Mohaturfa paid by Agriculturists ...	6 665 1 7	6,707 11 5	42 9 10	... .
Do by non-Agriculturists ..	4,382 5 11	4,572 1 8	189 14 9	... ...
Plough Tax	5,701 7 11	5,717 9 11	13 2 0	. . ..
Cardamom rents	20,913 8 2	20,910 4 0	.. .. . .	3 4 2
Total.....	3,52,888 6 7	3,29,296 4 11	1,551 3 0	25,146 4 8
Net Decrease.....	. .. ...	... .	... ...	23,592 1 8

12. The net decrease of Rs. 23,592—1—8 is more than accounted for by the decrease in the demand on coffee lands, which amounts to Rs. 24,815—5—11. The greater portion of this decrease, viz. Rs. 24,183—13—3 is due to large remissions for a term of years granted to planters whose estates are in a half abandoned condition.

13. The total increase under *saga* or fully assessed lands amounted to Rs. 1,935—12—5 and the decrease to Rs. 746-5-2 giving a net increase of Rs. 1,189-7-3. The increase is due about equally to the conversion of *jamma* lands to *saga* and to waste lands brought under cultivation. The decrease is attributable to the conversion of *saga* lands to *jamma* and to lands resumed to Government. Similar reasons explain the decrease under *jamma*.

14. The increase of Rs. 105—4—9 under the Dhuly paddy tax was derived from lands newly taken up or transferred to new settlers, and the increase of Rs. 232—8—7 under Mohaturfa is due to increase in the number of persons who pay the tax.

GOVERNMENT ESTATES

15. Nil.

WARDS' ESTATES.

16. Out of the wards of the District Judge's Court one died during the year, and seven attained their majority. The number of wards' estates in charge of the court is at present 46.

III. PROTECTION.

17. Vide paragraph 55 of the report for 1882—83.

COURSE OF LEGISLATURE.

18. No Act was specially extended to the province during the year; but Regulation No. 1 of 1885, a regulation to amend the Coorg Courts Regulation, 1881, received the Governor-General's assent on the 26th March 1885, and was brought into operation in the year under report.

POLICE.

19. The following statement shows the total number of cognizable cases reported to the Police and to the Magistrate direct during the years 1884 and 1885.

Class.	Offences.	1884.	1885.	Increase.	Decrease.
I	Offences against the State, public tranquility, safety, and justice...	9	20	11	...
II	Serious offences against the person	54	61	7	...
III	Serious offences against property	67	54	...	13
IV	Minor offences against person	31	81	50	...
V	Minor offences against property	436	441	5	...
VI	Other offences not specified above	37	83	46	...
	Total.....	634	740	119	13

20. Of the cases reported only 127 or 17·16 per cent were struck off as false as against 213 or 33·59 per cent in 1884. This may partly explain the fact that convictions in cases returned as true fell from 58·79 in 1884 to 43·23 in 1885.

21. Out of 493 cases investigated by the Police, convictions were secured in 177 or 35·90 per cent, as compared with 28·36 per cent in 1884.

22. Six hundred and ninety-seven persons were arrested during the year, of whom 591 were brought to trial, and 332 convicted; the figures in 1884 were 585, 483 and 242, respectively.

23. The value of property reported to have been stolen was Rs. 5,303, and the value of property recovered was Rs. 3,839, as against Rs 6,088 and 2,578, respectively, in 1884. The percentage of property recovered to property lost rose from 42·36 in 1884 to 72 39 in 1885, which is the highest percentage attained during the last 5 years.

24. The cost of maintaining the Police force, consisting of 27 officers and 161 men, amounted to Rs. 23,282 against Rs. 24,354 in 1884 or Rs. 1,072 less. The decrease is due chiefly to the fact that the men were supplied with uniforms in 1884.

CRIMINAL JUSTICE.

25. In connection with the re-arrangement of judicial business made necessary by the appointment of Munsiffs and by Regulation I of 1885, the number of Courts with second class Magisterial powers was raised from 2 to 6 by conferring those powers on the two newly appointed Munsiffs and on two more of the Subedars. On the other hand the number of courts with third class powers was dimnished from 19 to 13 by abolishing as unnecessary the criminal courts of some of the Parpattigars of Nads. The total number of courts therefore fell from 25 to 23; viz.—

1	Judicial Commissioner's Court.
1	Sessions Judge's Court.
1	District Magistrate's Court.
1	1st class Magistrate's Court.
6	2nd class Magistrates' Courts.
13	3rd class Magistrates' Courts.
23	

26. The subjoined statement exhibits the number of offences reported, the number of cases returned as true, the number of cases brought to trial, the number

of persons acquitted and the number convicted as compared with the similar figures of the year 1884.

Year.	Number of offences reported.	Number of cases dismissed without issue of process.	Number of cases returned as true.	Pending from last year.		Number brought to trial.		Total.		Number acquitted.		Number convicted.		Pending.		Ratio of offences to population.
				Cases.	Persons.	Cases.	Persons.	Cases.	Persons.	Cases.	Persons.	Cases.	Persons.	Cases.	Persons.	
1885 ...	2579	196	1786	17	38	1749	2975	1766	3013	1079	1930	644	1002	35	66	·14
1884 ...	1797	109	1545	9	17	1515	2387	1551	2404	772	1316	741	1039	17	38	·10
Increase...	782	87	241	8	21	204	588	212	609	307	614	...	...	18	28	·4
Decrease ..	...	...	...	...	...	...	..	...	...	...	..	97	37	...	...	...

27. In 8 cases 15 persons either died or escaped, as compared with 5 cases and 9 persons in the previous year.

28. The difference of 597 between the number of cases reported and the number returned as true, and which is not accounted for by the number of cases struck off, represents cases in which complaints were lodged under the Breach or Contract Act XIII of 1859, but in which the accused were not arrested or brought to trial.

29. The number of offences reported, as shown in the statement in the previous paragraph, is 2,579 against 1,797 in the preceding year. If complaints of breach of contract, which are only technically cases of crime, are subtracted, the figrues stand at 1,643 and 1,358, respectively, which is still a notable increase; but a large number (nearly 200) of these reports was rejected as untrue without issue of process, and the result of the trials in the remaining cases indicates that a larger proportion of them than usual were false, convictions having been obtained in only 644 cases against 741 in 1884 or 97 less.

30. The following table gives the percentages of convictions and acquittals to cases reported and to cases brought to trial.

Year.	Percentage of convictions to cases reported.	Percentage of acquittals to cases reported.	Percentage of convictions to cases brought to trial.	Percentage of acquittals to cases brought to trial.
1885 ...	25	42	36	61
1884 ...	41	42	41	43

31. The next statement shows the classification of offences brought to trial.

Year.	Against the State and public justice.	Against the person.	Against property.	Other offences under the Indian Penal Code.	Offences under Special and Local Laws.	Total.
1885	39	604	453	216	454	1766
1884	53	532	400	199	370	1554
Increase	...	72	53	17	84	226
Decrease	14	...	...	...	...	14
Net Increase	...	...	...	...	...	212

32. Only 7 European British subjects were tried for petty charges of violence, of whom 3 were convicted; the corresponding figures in the previous year were 19 tried and 14 convicted.

33. Eighty Criminal appeals (including 4 pending from the previous year) were heard by the Sessions Judge and by the District Magistrate. This number represents about 15 per cent of the number of appealable cases, the percentage in 1884 having been only 10. Of the 80 appeals 2 were rejected, 7 modified, 41 confirmed, 25 reversed, a new trial or further inquiry was ordered in 3 cases and 2 cases were pending.

34. In the Court in which the Chief Commissioner sits as Judicial Commissioner 12 appeals affecting 18 persons were preferred; of which 11 were disposed of as follows:—

	Cases.	Persons.
Sentence appealed against confirmed	6	8
Do reduced	3	3
Do rejected	2	2
	11	13

In the remaining one case 5 persons were concerned, and the sentence passed on 3 persons was confirmed and that passed on 2 was reduced.

35. As a court of revision the Judicial Commissioner had 9 cases affecting 16 persons for disposal. They were disposed of as detailed below:—

	Cases.	Persons.
Sentences or orders confirmed	2	3
Proceedings quashed	4	7
New trial or further proceedings ordered	1	1
	7	11

In the 2 remaining cases wherein 5 persons were concerned, the sentences in respect to 3 persons were confirmed, and a new trial or further inquiry was ordered in regard to the other two.

36. The total receipts of the Courts, Civil and Criminal, amounted to Rs. 60,310 or Rs. 2,644 more than the income of the previous year. The total expenditure was Rs. 70,997 against Rs. 68,871 for the previous year. The increase in expenditure is chiefly due to the establishment of the two Munsiffs' Courts.

PRISONS.

37. The total number of prisoners confined in the Jail at Mercara and in the 26 Lock-ups in the Province, was 1,317 against 1,175, and the daily average number of prisoners was 105·61 against 94·96 in the previous year, the daily average number confined in the Jail alone being 94·98. The accommodation hitherto available in the Jail was for 120 prisoners, but the construction, during the year under report of separate wards for male and female civil prisoners and for female under trials, has increased it so as to be sufficient for 134 prisoners.

38. The number of under-trial prisoners received into the Jail and Lock-ups during the year, including those remaining at the close of the year, was 890. Of these 713 were released, 161 convicted and sentenced, 2 died and 14 remained at the close of the year. Out of the 368 convicts confined, 269 were released, 4 executed, 7 died and 88 remained at the close of the year.

39. The number of offences against prison discipline rose from 49 in 1884 to 64 in 1885; making due allowances for the average strength, the increase is nearly

13 per cent. The following statements show the nature of the offences and the punishments awarded.

Smoking or having possession of forbidden articles	21
Offences relating to work	18
Other offences against prison discipline	24
Attempt to escape	1
	64

Nature of punishment awarded.

Solitary confinement.	Reduced diet.	Solitary Confinement with reduced diet.	Corporal punishment.	Other punishments.	By Criminal Court.	Total.
5	10	9	8	31	1	64

The column of other punishments includes hard labour, forfeiture of good marks, and fetters replaced.

40. The following table exhibits the state of health of the prisoners during the past three years.

Years.	Total incarcerated.	Average strength.	Admissions into hospital.	Died.
	No.	No.	No.	No.
1883 ...	618	110·20	126	10
1884 ...	626	87·61	109	6
1885 ...	599	94·98	179	9

The total admissions into Hospital and average daily sick have both been higher than in the year 1884. The daily average sick was 5·27 as compared with 3·82 in the previous year. The diseases have been much the same as in previous years, the chief increase being under the head of bowel-complaints. Of the 9 deaths, one was a case of murder, and death resulted from fracture of the skull; the remainder are attributable to fever, dysentery, diarrhœa and general debility. Five of the prisoners who died were under three months in Jail and were not in good health on admission.

41. Although the admissions into Hospital and the mortality was higher than in the previous year, there was an improvement in the health of the prisoners generally. Of the 226 prisoners discharged, 97 gained weight, 65 remained stationary and 64 lost weight. The percentage of those who gained and did not lose in weight was 71 against 54 in 1884.

42. The total expenditure of the Jail for the year was Rs. 9,406—15—0 against Rs. 10,279—10—0 in 1884, distributed over the following heads, as shown below :—

Head.	1885.						1884.					
	Total cost.			Cost per head of daily average number.			Total cost.			Cost per head of daily average number.		
Diet	3,807	7	8	40	1	7	4,376	4	9	49	1	6
Clothing	495	5	4	5	3	5	420	13	0	5	11	0
Hospital necessaries	36	4	6	0	6	0	405	3	3	4	9	11
Gardening and establishment ...	4,204	2	0	44	4	2	4,188	8	0	47	12	7
Contingencies	863	11	6	9	1	4	888	13	0	10	2	2
Total.....	9,406	15	0	99	0	6	10,279	10	0	117	5	2

The cause of decrease in the item of diet is due to provisions having been cheaper, and to the dieting of convicts having been given out on contract at a fixed rate of annas 1—10 per head. The large decrease under the head of hospital necessaries is due to an arrangement made with the contractor, by which he is bound to supply all articles of extra diet to sick prisoners in hospital at the uniform contract rate. The other fluctuations do not call for special remark.

43. The actual receipts by the sale of Jail manufactures were Rs. 9,170—14—1, or Rs. 182—2—8 more than in the preceding year. The expenditure amounted to Rs. 5,554—10—11 leaving a net profit of Rs. 3,616—3—2, or Rs. 124—3—11 more.

44. The average number of prisoners employed on manufactures was 24·55 of the total daily average number, and the average earnings amounted to Rs. 147—4—7. The chief sources of employment are the bakery and the printing press; in which 22 and 6 convicts, respectively, were employed. An average of 10 men have also been employed by the Public Works Department throughout the year.

45. The daily average number of prisoners in attendance at school was 70·75. The school is conducted in the evening from 4·30 to 5 o'clock. Of the number of prisoners released during the year who had been under instruction, there were, when they entered the Jail, unable to read and write 143. Able to read and write little 33; able to read and write well 19. Of the number released during the year who had been under instruction there were, when they left the Jail, unable to read and write 26; able to read and write a little 112; able to read and write well 57.

46. The total number of prisoners confined during the year in the 26 Lock-ups was 622, or a daily average of 10·63, against 461 and 7·35 respectively, in the previous year. The cost of diet was Rs. 439—10—0, or Rs. 41-5-8 per head against Rs. 279—3—2, or Rs. 37—15—9 per head in 1884.

CIVIL JUSTICE.

47. The Coorg Courts Regulation No. I of 1885 having received the sanction of the Government of India, two Courts of Munsiffs were opened in place of the Town Subedars' Courts at Mercara and Virajendrapet. The pecuniary jurisdiction of the Courts of the Taluk Subedars in Civil cases was reduced from Rs. 300 to Rs. 100, and the 1st Assistant Commissioner (who is also Magistrate of the District) was invested with powers to hear appeals from their decisions and with original jurisdiction in suits not exceeding Rs. 3,000 in value. At the same time the pecuniary limit of the 2nd Assistant Commissioner's original jurisdiction was lowered to Rs. 1,000, and his former appellate powers withdrawn. There were thus 17 Civil Courts in operation, or one more than in 1884. These Courts may be divided into 7 classes as follows :—

(*a*) 1 The Court of the Judicial Commissioner.

(*b*) 1 The Court of the District Judge being the principal Court of original jurisdiction with powers to receive appeals from the two Munsiffs' Courts and from the courts of the 1st and 2nd Assistant Commissioners.

(*c*) 1. The Court of the 1st Assistant Commissioner with original jurisdiction ranging from Rs. 1,000 to Rs. 3,000 and appellate jurisdiction over Taluk Subedars' Courts

(*d*) 1. The Court of the 2nd Assistant Commissioner with original jurisdiction from Rs. 500 to Rs. 1,000.

(*e*) 2. The Courts of Munsiffs with original jurisdiction from Rs. 100 to Rs 500.

(*f*) 6. The Courts of Taluk Subedars with original jurisdiction up to Rs. 100.

(*g*) 5. The Courts of Parpattigars with powers to entertain cases of the nature of small causes only up to the value of Rs. 50.

Total 17

48. The total number of suits instituted was 2,639 against 2,932 in 1884, or 293 cases less. The subjoined comparative statement shows the number of suits instituted in the several classes of Courts during 1884 and 1885.

Class of Courts.	1884.	1885.	Increase.	Decrease.
Parpattigars' Courts	270	297	27	...
Subedars' do	2,491	1,272	...	1,219
Munsiffs' do	...	933	933	...
2nd Assistant Commissioner's Court	157	96	...	61
1st Assistant Commissioner's do	...	31	31	...
District Judge's Court	14	10	...	4
Total.....	2,932	2,639	991	1,284
Net Decrease.....	...	...	...	293

49. Including 164 cases of the year 1884 there were for disposal 2,803 cases of which 2,564 were disposed of, leaving 239 cases pending at the close of the year. Of these 148 are on the files of the Munsiffs' Courts, 52 on the files of the Subedars' Courts, 23 on the files of the Parpattigars' Courts, and the remainder on the files of the other three Courts.

50. Out of the 2,564 suits disposed of, 1984 were uncontested and 580 contested. The percentage of uncontested suits was 77·37 against 80·25 in 1884, while the percentage decided in favor of plaintiffs in contested cases was 72·75 against 83·45 in 1884.

51. The average duration of original suits in the several classes of Courts was 53 days in contested and 31 days in uncontested cases, against 42 and 21 days respectively, in 1884.

52. There were 680 miscellaneous applications for disposal against 567 in the year 1884. 653 were disposed of, leaving 27 pending at the close of the year.

53. Out of the 580 appealable cases, appeals were filed in *131 cases or 22·60 per cent; 131 cases, including 11 cases pending from the previous year, were disposed of, leaving 11 cases for disposal.

*1st Asstt. Commr's. Court 104
District Judge's Court 27

54. The average duration of appeals was 29 days both in the 1st Assistant, Commissioner's and in the District Judge's Courts, against 29 and 32, respectively, in the previous year. Half the judgments appealed against were confirmed and the other half either modified, reversed, or the case remanded.

55. There were 18 miscellaneous appeals for disposal, 14 in the 1st Assistant Commissioner's Court and 4 in the District Judge's Court. In 9 of these cases the orders appealed against were reversed or modified.

56. There were 2,730 applications for execution of decrees, including 221 cases pending from the previous year. The corresponding number for 1884 was 2,823. 2,459 applications were disposed of leaving 271 pending. 1,376 of the applications that were disposed of were wholly infructuous against 1,393 in the previous year. The sums realized by the execution of decrees amounted to Rs. 1,08,239 against Rs. 1,25,499 in the previous year.

57. In the Judicial Commissioner's Court there were 4 regular appeals during the year, and all were contested. The decision of the lower Court was confirmed in 2 cases, reversed in 1 case, and 1 appeal was left pending at the end of the year. The value of the appeals instituted was Rs. 13,095, and the average duration of the appeals disposed of was 39 days.

58. Twenty-one second appeals were instituted in the Judicial Commissioner's Court during the year. Of these 10 were for moveable property, 6 for immoveable, and 5 were of such a nature that their value could not be estimated in money. The

value of the property involved in the 16 appeals above referred to amounted to Rs. 3,024.

59. Out of 31 second appeals for disposal (including 10 appeals pending from the previous year) 21 were disposed of leaving 10 pending at the close of the year. Of the 21 cases disposed of, in 16 or 76 per cent the orders of lower courts were confirmed against 53 per cent in 1884. The average duration of each second appeal was 95 days against 65 days in 1884.

REGISTRATION.

60. The number of documents registered was 594 or 52 less than in the previous year, the fees realized thereon being 4,355 or Rs. 26—12—0 less. The value of property involved was, however, considerably higher, being Rs. 13,92,605, or Rs. 97,118 more than that of the previous year. The increase, which is wholly under the head of immovable property, is due to two transactions in which the value of the property (coffee estates) mortgaged was large.

61. A satisfactory feature in the working of the Department is the steady increase in the number of optional registrations, the percentage on the total number of registrations having been 20·65 in the year 1883—84, 23·21 in 1884—85, and 30·63 in the year under report.

62. The receipts for the year amounted to Rs. 4,355 and the expenditure to Rs. 2,376—6—10 leaving a net surplus of Rs. 1,978—9—2. The corresponding figures for 1884—85 were Rs. 4,381—12—0 and Rs 2,432—10—6, respectively. The percentage of expenditure on receipts, 54·56, compares favourably with the average percentage for the whole of India in the year 1884—85, which is 67·09.

63. The average time taken to complete the registration of documents was 1 day and 4½ hours against 1 day and 11 hours in 1884—85, and 1 day and 17 hours in 1883—84.

64. The following statement shows the percentages of the general results of the operations of the Registration Department during the year.

Number of registrations per thousand of population.	Percentage of increase or decrease of total number of compulsory or optional registrations over previous year				Percentage of registrations affecting immoveable property to total number of registrations during the year.	Percentage to total number of registrations during the year.		Percentage of increase or decrease of—						Number of offices not self-supported.
	Compulsory.		Optional.					Receipts.		Expenditure.		Surplus.		
	Increase.	Decrease.	Increase.	Decrease.		Compulsory.	Optional.	Increase.	Decrease.	Increase.	Decrease.	Increase.	Decrease.	
3·33	...	17·17	21·12	...	79·12	69·02	30·63	...	0·61	..	2·34	1·53	...	None.

MUNICIPAL.

65. The subjoined statement shows the state of the finances of all the Municipalities of Coorg.

	Mercara.			Virajendrapet.			Frasерpet.			Somawarpet.			Kodlipet.			Total.		
Balance on 1st April 1885 ...	—190	3	5	3,409	10	4	429	7	4	1,499	10	8	348	11	8	5,497	4	7
Receipts in 1885-86....	9,902	8	9	8,498	2	5	918	11	6	1,238	11	0	483	1	9	21,041	3	5
Total Rs.....	9,712	5	4	11,907	12	9	1,348	2	10	2,738	5	8	831	13	5	26,538	8	0
Expenditure in 1885-86	9,396	3	11	10,878	2	0	443	13	5	741	12	0	401	13	8	21,861	13	0
Cash balance on the 31st March 1886...	316	1	5	1,029	10	9	904	5	5	1,996	9	8	429	15	9	4,676	11	0

66. The balance at credit of the Mercara Municipality on the 1st April 1885 is shown above as minus Rs. 190—3—5, while in paragraph 65 of the previous year's report the closing balance on the 31st March 1885 was given as Rs. 1,361—9—1. The difference is explained by the fact that after the close of the official year 1884—85, the Municipal funds were debited with the sum of Rs. 1,551—12—6, being the cost of medicines supplied to the Dispensary during the year 1884—85. This charge was included in the accounts of that year under instructions from the Account officer.

67. *Mercara.*—The receipts fell off by Rs. 1,727—3—5, but the outstanding balance at the close of the year, which is said to be so large as Rs. 5,057—0—4, more than accounts for the decrease. The only original work on which expenditure was incurred is a new slaughter house. The total expenditure was Rs. 2,237—0—4 less than in the preceding year.

68. *Virajendrapet.*—The receipts were Rs. 615—4—4 less, and the expenditure Rs. 7—11—6 more than in the previous year. The expenditure on original works amounted to Rs. 1,799, the works constructed being a contageous disease ward and a bridge. The outstanding balance at the close of the year was Rs. 2,372—5—8.

69. *Fraserpet.*—There was an increase of Rs. 38—2—10 in receipts over those of 1884—85, and a decrease of Rs 160—12—7 in the expenditure, which was limited wholly to charges of establishment and lighting. The Local Committee has done nothing towards improving the town for which funds are available, and which have accumulated to Rs. 904 or about a year's income.

70. *Somawarpet.*—The receipts in this Municipality were Rs. 337—8—4, and the expenditure was Rs. 384—15—0 in excess of the previous year.

71. *Kodlipet.*—There was a decrease in receipts of Rs. 85—15—0, and an increase in expenditure of Rs. 44—13—8 as compared with the previous year.

72. The average incidence of taxation per head of population in the 5 Municipalities in Coorg was Rs. 0—8—6, and the average incidence per head of Municipal income from all sources Rs. 1—4—2. The corresponding figures for 1884—85 were Rs. 0—9—10 and Rs. 1—6—1.

MILITARY.

73. The Coorg Volunteer Rifle Corps, which was organized during the year, consists of two companies enlisted almost entirely from among the community of European Coffee Planters residing in Coorg. Officers have been elected, and a paid Adjutant and two Serjeant Instructors appointed. The Corps during the year under report was under the Chief Commissioner as Local Government, subject to the orders of the Government of India. The following officers have been appointed. Vide G. O. Madras Government No. 418 dated the 7th August 1885.

North Coorg Company—	*South Coorg Company—*
Mr. Frank Mangles, Captain.	Mr. John Logan, Captain.
Mr. Edward Pearce Brown, Lieutenant.	Mr. James S. Gerrard, Lieutenant.
Mr. William Horatio Scott, Lieutenant.	Mr. James E. Young, Lieutenant.
	Lieutenant L. G. Oliver, 2nd Battalion, Middlesex Regiment Adjutant.

MARINE.

74. Nil.

IV. PRODUCTION AND DISTRIBUTION.

AGRICULTURE.

75. The total area of land held on *ryotware* tenure and consisting of land cultivated with rice, dry cereals and garden crops, is shown to be 74,905 acres as compared with 74,722 in the preceding year.

76. The area of land held under grants for cultivation of coffee and other special products and shown in Statement I E. Fiscal under the head "Purchasers of waste lands," is computed at 72,334 acres. Of this 36,315 acres were held by Europeans, and 36,019 acres by native planters. The acreage of European estates has been diminished by 1,229 acres since the previous year, while that of native holdings has increased by 364 acres. The diminished acreage under European ownership arises from relinquishment of land on two holdings in the Sampaji Ghat range to the extent of upwards of 1,200 acres. The average size of European coffee estates is estimated at 155 acres, and of native holdings at 21·10.

77. The large area of coffee cultivation on *bane* lands upon which no assessment is levied, while the lands have been alienated from the purposes of their original grant, has long attracted attention. Rules have at last been framed and issued, by which the coffee assessment will be imposed on coffee cultivation in *bane* land in excess of 10 acres in unalienated *jamma* and *sagu wargs*, and on the whole area cultivated with coffee in alienated holdings. As a preliminary to the settlement to be carried out under these rules a careful enquiry has been instituted, and a registry made af all lands to which the rules are to be applied, with the result that the acreage under the head of alienated *jamma* and *sagu* holdings is found to be 7,799 acres, and of coffee cultivation opened in unalienated *banes* in excess of 10 acres, 3,242 acres.

EXPERIMENTAL CULTIVATION.

78. The Patna paddy, a supply of which was obtained and distributed, has been favorably reported on by a planter who has been experimenting with it, and who states that it has succeeded in a dry soil and on uplands, but not in the ordinary paddy flats.

79. In response to a notice published in the Local Gazette offering to supply plants on behalf of Government for experimental cultivation, applications were received for the Erythroxylon coca and other plants hereunder detailed. These were procured from the Madras Agri-Horticultural Society and distributed among the applicants.

80. *Erythroxylon Coca.*—The reports received show that the plants have grown vigorously, and that the experiment promises to be a success.

81. *Ginger Bulbs.*—The experiment made with these did not succeed, the supply having been obtained too late in the season.

82. *Rhea Cuttings.*—Have done well in the single instance in which the experiment has been as yet tried.

83. *St. Michael Orange and Jamaica Lemon.*—A supply of these plants was obtained from the Curator of the Government Gardens, Ootacamund, and distributed to the applicants. The plants have all done well both in North and South Coorg.

84. The Revd. G. Richter has furnished the following notes on some experiments made by himself:—

"*Cyphomandra betacea.*"—Tree tomato or Jamaica Plum. "A number of "plants of this valuable fruit tree was raised from seed received through the Madras "Agri-Horticultural Society from Jamaica and distributed in the neighbourhood of "of Mercara. The growth of the plant is rapid and its fruit yielding capacity, already "in the second year, most satisfactory. A number of seedlings will be available for "distribution next monsoon."

Elais Guineensis. "African Oil Palm. Six trees raised from seed received "from the Gold Coast in Western Africa and grown in the Cinchona Garden has "yielded the first nuts during the year, which were put down into a nursery."

AGRICULTURAL IMPLEMENTS.

85. The only agricultural implements experimented with are the Swedish ploughs, which were procured in 1882—83 and 1883—84 and distributed amongst a few planters interested in the cultivation of rice. The latest reports received from some of these gentlemen express entire satisfaction with the working of these ploughs, though they concur in stating that the ordinary small cattle of the country are not capable of drawing the plough, especially in the case of lands which have lain follow

for some time or where the soil is stiff. As remarked by Mr. W. Wright the working of the plough requires the whole attention of the plough-man, and this is an additional obstacle to its use by the Natives. The Revd. Mr. Kaundinya of Anandapur finds the neighbouring ryots ready to admire the deep and clean working of the plough, but not prepared as yet to adopt it.

LABOR.

86. The demand for labor, which has slackened of late years owing to the necessity of economizing outlay, has naturally affected the supply. Several gangs of coolies which came up early in the season had to leave again for want of employment. The coffee crop proved to be an unexpectedly large one, and some difficulty was felt in obtaining adequate labor when needed, but to no serious extent. The rate of wages to coolies has undergone no change since the previous year.

LIVE STOCK.

87. The mortality among cattle during the past year is returned at 5,776 head as compared with 4,182 in 1884—85. The losses were so large during the months of June and July that special reports were called for on the subject from the Subedars of Taluks. The reports tended to show that the excessive mortality was due to the fact that owing to the drought which prevailed in the spring months the cattle suffered greatly from want of pasturage and readily succumbed during the unusual heavy rains which followed in June. There is no doubt that the poorer Coorg ryots are most indifferent as to the proper treatment even of their plough cattle. After their work, the animals are left to pick up such miserable subsistence as the forest lands near the fields at that time afford, and at nights they are driven into their sheds to lie on floor reaking with wet and filth. It is not surprising that the cattle rapidly lose condition and die.

88. *Coffee.*—The ruling price was Rs. 24 a cwt. which was lower by Rs. 2 per cwt. than in the previous year, but in the English Market the price was maintained as high as 72 shillings a cwt.

89. *Cardamoms.*—There has been a great falling off in the price of cardamoms. The price realized by most of the Native ryots did not exceed Rs. 20 a maund or Rs. 80 per cwt.

90. *Rice and Ragi.*—Rice and Ragi fetched a somewhat higher price than in the previous year, the average rate being Rs. 3—7—8 in the former case, and Rs. 1—9—7 in the latter, per maund of 80 lbs. The scarcity at one time imminent in Mysore affected prices in Coorg.

WEATHER AND CROPS.

91. The rain-fall as registered during the year was as follows :—

At Mercara ...	...	...	127·88	Inches.
„ Somwarpet...	..	...	81·79	„
„ Anandapur (South Coorg)	...	...	67·90	„
„ Fraserpet ...	...	...	25·24	„
On the Western Ghauts	...	...	202·39	„

92. The above figures represented a fair average rain-fall. Taking the figures for Mercara alone, they are but little below the average of the returns for the past 10 years, namely, 129 inches, the highest during that period being 205 inches and the lowest 96¼ inches.

93. The early rains of March and April, during which months some 3 inches of rain were registered at Mercara, were favorable to coffee and rice, the two staple crops in Coorg.

HORTICULTURE.

94. The cultivation of cinchona, which was stimulated by the failure of coffee in certain localities in Coorg, has not made any marked progress. The returns show that 1,440,152 plants have been put down, as compared with 1,492,385 in 1884-85. Of these the largest number consists of *C. Succiruhra*, next in order *Ledgerina*. The plant has been found to thrive well in high situations, and one estate (Manjakolli)

on the Sampaji Ghaut range alone holds 150,000 and has produced 7,000 lbs. of bark in the past year. The "Elk Hill" Estate in South Coorg possesses 105,000 plants yielding 700 lbs. in the year. In lower attitudes the success of the cultivation seems doubtful, much of that planted among coffee as well as separately having died out.

FORESTS.

95. Act VII of 1865 which applies only to the demarcated and gazetted State forests remained in force during the year. The control of all other forests was exercised as heretofore in virtue of custom and the State's ownership of the soil. The long pending question of a new general forest law for Coorg was finally decided after the close of the year under report in favour of the Indian Forest Act VII of 1878. The steps taken for applying the provisions of the new law will be noticed in the next report.

96. The area of State forests (i. e. "Government forests" demarcated and gazetted under section 2 of Act VII of 1865) amounted to 239 square miles one mile having been added during the year. The survey of the portion of the ghaut forests, which it is proposed to reserve, was completed during the year; but towards its close, it was found that several alterations and corrections were needed, and orders were accordingly given to carry out the work of revision without delay.

97. The result of fire protection has been less successful during this year than in the two previous years. The area attempted was about 199 square miles, in one-tenth of which protection failed. The failures in 1884—85 were 9 per cent, and in 1883—84, 8 per cent. The cost of protection was less being Rs. 15 per square mile against Rs. 18 in the previous year. Several of the fires were due to the negligence of the Forest subordinates who were suitably punished; but the most disastrous fires are reported to have crossed into Coorg from the adjoining forests of Mysore and Wynaad.

98. An addition of 40 acres was made to teak plantations and of 20 acres to sandalwood plantations. The total area planted is 1,002 acres, made up as follows:—

Teak	.. ..	596 acres.
Sandalwood	..	321 „
Fuel	.. ..	85 „

99. The following statement shows the number of trees felled during the past five years.

Year.	Teak trees.	Other trees.	Total.
1881—82	808	741	1,549
1882—83	494	1,186	1,680
1883—84	817	969	1,786
1884—85	858	843	1,501
1885—86	874	1,015	1,889

100. The next statement gives the quantities of timber brought to depots and sold during the same period.

Year.	Brought to depots.			Sold in Depots C. ft.	Sold locally. No. of trees.
	Teak C. ft.	Other C. ft.	Total C. ft.		
1881—82	23,404	16,407	39,811	28,966	483
1882—83	15,972	17,988	33,960	40,388	359
1883—84	26,285	17,995	44,280	46,479	666
1884—85	28,116	26,779	54,895	49,350	618
1885—86	26,753	16,336	43,089	43,504	1,614

101. The total yield of the Government deciduous forest for the year was estimated at 2,50,601 Cubic feet of timber, of which 90,679 Cubic feet were teak. The quantity of timber cut by the Forest Department was 67,556 Cubic feet or 27 per cent, of which 36,792 Cubic feet or 40 per cent was teak. There is therefore a wide margin for the expansion of felling operations; but these operations have to be regulated by the demand and by the means of export. The deficiency of carriage is the great impediment.

102. The number of bamboos brought to depots was 14,116 against 36,249 in 1884—85, and the number sold from the depots was 13,809 against 33,457. 1,97,518 bamboos were sold in the forests against 1,84,646 in the previous year. The total amount realized was only Rs. 1,854 against Rs. 2,873 in the year 1884—85. The decrease is due to the reduction in the price of bamboos from Rs. 15 to Rs. 7—8—0 per thousand, which was made with the object of securing larger sales. As this object has not been attained to any appreciable extent the price has been raised again to Rs. 10 and 15 with certain inducements to purchasers of large quantities at a time.

103. The following statement exhibits the quantities of sandalwood collected and sold during the past 5 years with the revenue realized.

Year.	Quantity brought to depots in tons.	No. of tons sold.	Amount realized.	Average rate per ton.
1881—82	126¾	60¾	14,059	231
1882—83	117½	192¼	77,407	403
1883—84	74¼	36¼	10,908	301
1884—85	72¼	118¾	35,650	300
1885—86	80½	118½	27,954	236

The balance in stock at the end of the year was only 8 tons.

104. The financial results are:—

Year.	Receipts.	Charges.	Surplus.
1884—85	1,13,233	76,952	36,281
1885—86	89,386	65,690	23,696

The ratio of charges to receipts is therefore about 68 per cent against 73 per cent in the year 1884—85.

MINES AND QUARRIES.

105. There is nothing doing in Coorg to report under this head.

MANUFACTURES.

106. The number of native hand looms is returned at 123, being a slight increase over that of the previous year. The manufacture of cotton cloths is confined to a few villages in North Coorg.

107. The artizans in the country consist chiefly of carpenters, ironsmiths and goldsmiths. Their numbers are returned at 96 carpenters, 158 ironsmiths and 172 goldsmiths, and as compared with the returns of previous years, show some decline. These classes are very largely, if not wholly, recruited from outside Coorg, the Coorgs themselves being exclusively agriculturists.

TRADE.

108. *Exports.*—The coffee exported from Coorg in the past year is returned at 3,877 tons. The figures are obtained from the toll gate contractors and are manifestly understated. The actual outturn of coffee in Coorg may be taken to have

been about 5,500 tons, of which all but a small quantity must have been exported either to the West Coast or eastward to Bangalore.

109. The local price of coffee averaged about Rs. 480 per ton, or Rs. 24 per cwt. as compared with Rs. 26—4—0 per cwt. in the previous year. The English price ranged from £ 60 to £ 65 per ton after deducting shipping and other charges.

110. The cardamom crop was a good one, the quantity exported being returned at 1,820 cwts. The price which had fallen to Rs. 141—8—0 per cwt. in 1884—85 sank to Rs. 80 per cwt. with ruinous results to the renters of the cardamom *malles* as the blocks of forest on the slopes of the Western Ghauts where the cardamom grows are called.

111. *Import.*—The imports into the province show a falling off chiefly in piece goods, metals, grain, and building materials, the result of the steady decline of trade which has been apparent for several years past in the province. The large reductions made in the employment of foreign labour owing to the abandonment of numerous coffee estates, and the necessity of greater economy in working those that are left, have necessarily affected the imports of grain and other articles.

112. The price of provisions has been almost stationary; that of jaggory shows a decrease owing to the abundant sugar-cane crop raised in parts of Mysore; salt was also selling cheaper.

113. The price of arecanut has risen, the article being prepared for shipment at the Coast. Kerosine oil has further declined in price by about 10 per cent.

114. Under the head of "Sundries" is included manure imported from the Coast. The returns show that 2,384 cart loads of bone and fish manure and 209 of oil cake were imported into the Province. The value is estimated at Rs. 50,000.

PUBLIC WORKS.

115. The original budget grant under Imperial Civil Works for the year under notice was Rs. 1,80,000; but owing to Imperial exigencies, the expenditure was, by order of the Supreme Government, limited to Rs. 1,40,000; which was subsequently raised to Rs. 1,41,000 by an additional allotment of Rs. 1,000 sanctioned by the Government of India for the purpose of constructing a combined Post and Telegraph Office at Virajendrapet.

116. The actual expenditure under all heads amounted to Rs. 1,48,817, so that the modified grant for the year was exceeded by Rs. 7,817. This excess is chiefly due to the debit to "Stock" of a sum of Rs. 2,670 and to the non-adjustment till the close of the official year of Rs. 5,133 under "Miscellaneous Advances." There was also an excess outlay on Tools and Plant of Rs. 1,606, which, however, was nearly balanced by short outlay on Original Works, Repairs and Establishment, of Rs. 1,580.

117. The outlay under the different heads as contrasted with the revised grants is shown in Statement No. I appended to this report.

118. Civil Buildings.—*Original Works.*—The expenditure under this head was Rs. 24,037 against the modified grant of Rs. 25,000, showing a lapse of Rs. 963. The following are the principal works that were in progress during the year.

(*a*) Improving the old Palace, now used for Public Offices, and the District Jail at Mercara and the 1st Assistant Commissioner's Court at Virajendrapet.

(*b*) Constructing Nad Cutcherry at Gonicopal, Police Station and Post Office at Wantangadi, and 3 tiled sheds at the Madapatna Distillery, which work was completed during the year at an outlay of Rs. 743.—Vide Statement No. 4.

119. Civil Buildings.—*Repairs.*—Under this head was expended Rs. 2,581. The buildings put under repairs were 45 in number.—Vide Statement No. II.

120. Communications.—*Original Works.*—The outlay amounted to Rs. 43,904, or Rs. 404 in excess of the revised grant of Rs. 43,500.—Vide Statement No. 4.

(*a*) Opening out road from Mercara to Siddapur. This important line of communication was completed during the year at an outlay of Rs. 4,111 against a grant of Rs. 4,000.

(*b*) Opening out the Virajendrapet-Periapatam road. Progress on this work was satisfactory, the amount expended during the year being Rs. 15,461 against the modified grant of Rs. 15,000. On this road, the construction of the Malethodu Bridge was completed, and the abutments of the Guttadahalla Bridge were raised to springing level. The surface of the road having been properly metalled and maintained much facility was afforded to traffic throughout the line.

(*c*) Constructing bridge over the Cauvery at Siddapur. Under No. 17 C., dated 15th January 1886, the Government of India sanctioned a third revised estimate of Rs. 1,78,859 for this work. The allotment for the year was Rs. 16,501, and the outlay Rs. 18,561 resulting in an excess of Rs 2,061. The last arch of the bridge was finally keyed on the 26th May 1886, and the constructions of the permanent parapet wall, which remained unfinished at the close of the past official year, will be resumed during the current year to effect the final completion of the bridge.

121. COMMUNICATIONS.—*Repairs.*—The original grant of Rs. 40,800 was reduced to Rs. 32,968, against which were expended Rs. 33,651. All the roads were raised to standard and maintained in trafficable order throughout the year.

122. ESTABLISHMENT.—The modified grant under this head was Rs. 32,232, and the expenditure Rs. 31,447, showing a lapse of Rs. 785. The percentage of establishment to works is 30·18

123. MILITARY.—*Repairs.*—Expenditure not having been anticipated under this head, no budget allotment was sanctioned on account of Military works in Coorg; but on the formation of a Volunteer Rifle Corps in the Province it became necessary to spend Rs. 361 in repairing the old Commissariat Godown in the Fort at Mercara to make it suitable as quarters for the Sergeant-Instructor of the Corps. The outlay involved a charge of Rs. 83, and Rs. 5 on account of "Establishment" and "Tools and Plant," respectively.—Vide Statement No. 6.

124. INCORPORATED LOCAL FUNDS.—The outlay on works and repairs was Rs. 28,544 against the revised grant of Rs. 34,167 showing a lapse of Rs. 5,623. This lapse chiefly under original works is attributable to the scarcity of labor peculiar to Coorg.

125. The following were the principal works that were in hand during the year :—

Opening out the Ammatti-Tittimatti road.

Opening out the Fraserpet-Serungal road.

Improving the Mercara-Bagamandala road.

Do the Travellers' Bungalow at Watecolly.

126. GENERAL OBSERVATIONS.—The grants for the year under Imperial and Incorporated Local Funds amounted to Rs. 1,75,167, or Rs. 51,833 less than the sum allotted for the previous year, and the outlay to Rs. 1,77,722 as noted on the margin. Considering the comparatively small amount placed at the disposal of the Executive Engineer for expenditure, and other difficulties, the progress during the year may be looked upon as not unsatisfactory.

	Rs.
1882—83	1,63,218
1883—84	2,22,566
1884—85	2,39,539
1885—86	1,77,722

Statement showing Expenditure as compared with the Imperial Grant for 1885—86.

Heads of Service.	Budget Grant.	Revised Estimate.	Outlay.	Difference as compared with Revised Estimate.	
				Short Outlay.	Excess Outlay.
Original Works	89,500	68,500	67,941	559	...
Repairs	51,400	36,468	36,232	236	...
Establishment	36,100	32,232	31 447	785	...
Tools and Plant	3,000	3,800	5,406	...	1,606
Profit and Loss	...	...	...	...	...
Total	1,80,000	1,41,000	1,41,026	1,580	1,606
Suspense Balances.					
Stock purchases and sales	...	...	--12	12	...
Stock	...	...	2,670	...	2,670
Miscellaneous Advances	...	...	5,133	...	5,133
Total.....	...	...	7,791	12	7,803
Grand Total... ..	1,80,000	1,41,000	1,48,817	1,592	9,409
		7,817		...	7,817

Statement of Expenditure classified under the different Budget Heads for 1885—86.

Sub-Heads.	Original Works.	Repairs.	Total.
Civil Buildings, Roads and Services.			
Civil Buildings	24,037	2,581	26,618
Communications	43,904	33,651	77,555
Miscellaneous Public Improvements	...	...	...
Total...			1,04,173
Establishment			31,447
Tools and Plant			5,406
Profit and Loss			...
Total			1,41,026
Suspense Balances.			
Stock Purchases and Sales			—12
Stock			2,670
Miscellaneous Advances			5,133
Total.....			7,791
Grand Total.....			1,48,817

Statement showing the Imperial Expenditure incurred in the Public Works Department, during the year 1885—86.

DETAILS	Total of each Station.			Total of each Class.		
	Original Works.	Repairs	Total.	Original Works.	Repairs	Total.
Imperial Civil Works.						
Civil Buildings.						
Excise and Customs	743	...	743			
Postal	885	...	885			
Viceregal Residences . ..	3,652	232	3,884			
Mint, Treasury and Currency Buildings ..	3,457	863	4,320			
Jails	5,331	129	5,460			
Police	2,781	346	3,127			
Law and Justice	2,405	132	2,537			
Public Works	16	113	129			
Miscellaneous	4,767	565	5,332			
Forest	...	77	77			
Telegraph	...	60	60			
Educational	...	64	61			
Total.... .	...	...	...	24,037	2,581	26,618
Communications						
Metalled and Bridged Roads	39,232	32,719	71,951			
District Roads unmetalled and unraised ...	4,617	...	4,617			
Accommodation for Travellers	55	932	987			
Total Roads . ..	..	..	...	43,904	33,651	77,555
Establishment	..	...	...	...	...	31,447
Tools and Plant	.	...	...	...	...	5,406
Profit and Loss	. .	..	...	..	...	...
Suspense	.	...	...	...	...	7,791
Grand Total.....	...	...	...	...	...	1,48,817

Statement showing the Outlay incurred on Original Works in Coorg Province during the year 1885—86.

Division.	Budget Item.	Name of Work.	Original Budget Grant.	Revised Estimate.	Outlay.	Difference as compared with revised estimate	
						More.	Less.
		Imperial Civil Buildings.					
Coorg.	...	Constructing tiled sheds at Madapatna ..	...	899	743	...	156
	...	Furniture for the Chief Commissioner's Quarters in the Palace, Mercara	...	...	3,594	3,594	...
	...	Constructing Taluk and Nad Cutcherry at Napokola Padinalknad	...	...	—39	...	39
	2	Do Nad Cutcherry at Gonicopal ...	750	3,470	2,413	...	1,057
	3	Do Taluq and Nad Cutcherry at Ponampet...	2,750	...	—90	...	90
	...	Do do at Sanivarsanti ..	...	...	43	43	...
	..	Do Nad Cutcherry at Ammatty ..	...	...	488	488	...
	12	Improvements to the District Jail at Mercara ...	2,500	5,800	5,331	...	469
	14	Constructing Police Station and Post Office at Wantangadi	2,500	3,000	2,484	...	516
	15	Altering and improving the 1st Assistant Commissioner's Court at Virajendrapet ...	2,500	3,200	2,375	...	825
	1	Improvements to the Palace in the Fort at Mercara.	1,600	2,200	2,896	696	...
	13	Re-roofing Nalknad Palace	4,200	3,000	1,779	...	1,221
	4 to 11	Budget Works not undertaken	19,800	...	...	...	...
		Minor Works not exceeding Rs. 2,500 each ...	4,900	3,431	2,020	...	1,411
		Total Imperial Civil Buildings.....	41,500	25,000	24,037	4,821	5,784
							963

Statement showing the Outlay incurred on Original Works—Continued.

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	Brought forward .	41,500	25,000	24,037	4,821	5,784
	Communications.					963
16	Opening out a Road from Virajpet to Periapatam, Bangalore-Cannanore Road	25,000	15,000	15,461	461	...
...	Do a first class road from Mercara to Siddapur do	...	4,000	4,111	111	...
...	Constructing a Bridge over the Cauvery river at Siddapur	..	16,500	18,561	2,061	...
...	Improvements to Mercara-Kodlipet Road ..	...	2,500	2,757	257	...
..	Do Travellers' Bungalow at Mercara ..	..	...	—81	...	81
17	Budget Works not undertaken	20,000	...	..	...	...
.	Minor Works not exceeding Rs. 2,500 each ..	2,000	5,500	3,095	...	2,405
	Total Communications . .	47,000	43,500	43,904	2,890	2,486
	Miscellaneous Public Improvements.				401	
	Minor Works not exceeding Rs. 2,500 each .	1,000	...	...	..	...
	Grand Total, Civil Works ..	89,500	68,500	67,941	404	963
					...	559

Statement showing Expenditure as compared with the Grant from Incorporated Local Funds in 1885-86.

Heads of service.	Grant as per Budget order.	Revised Estimate.	Outlay.	Difference as compared with Revised Estimate. Short Outlay.	Excess Outlay.
Original Works	18,000	12,985	8,811	4,174	...
Repairs	18,608	14,025	13,754	271	...
Establishment	7,792	6,752	5,641	1,111	...
Tools and Plant	300	405	338	67	...
Profit and Loss	..	...	...	...	...
Total.. ...	44,700	34,167	28,544	5,623	...
Suspense Balances.					
Stock Purchases and Sales ..	..	. .	..	...	...
Stock ...	..	.	...	...	...
Miscellaneous Advances	...	. .	...	...	...
Total.....	..	...	...	...	...
Grand Total.....	44,700	34,167	28,544	5,623	...

Statement of Expenditure as compared with the Military Works Grant for 1885—86.

Head of service.	Grant as per Budget order.	Revised Estimate.	Outlay.	Difference. More.	Less.
Military.					
Original Works	...	...	...	...	...
Repairs	...	..	*361	361	...
Establishment	...	..	83	83	...
Tools and Plant	...	...	5	5	...
Grand Total.....	...	...	449	449	...

*Altering the Commissariat Godown in the Fort, Mercara, to adapt it as quarters for the Serjeant Instructor, Coorg Volunteer Rifles, and providing Warming Stoves for the quarters . ... Rs. 361—1—8

TELEGRAPHS.

127. The arrangements made for combining the Telegraph and Post Offices throughout Coorg were completed in July 1885.

128. At the instance of the European Planters in South Coorg, the Government has sanctioned the extension of the telegraph line from Ammatti to Pollebetta.

129. The number of messages which have passed through the offices in Coorg during the past year is as follows :—

Mercara	.	..	2,064
Virajendrapet	..	..	500
Ammatti	.	..	552
			3,116

POST OFFICE

130. The Coorg District Post consists at present of 13 Sub-Post Offices, 3 village Post Offices, 4 mail lines, with 7 branch lines and 17 village delivery circles. The changes effected in the Postal Establishment during the year have been of an unimportant character.

131. A Savings Bank has been attached to the Post Office at Napoklu, and those opened experimentally at Santikopa and Bagamandala have been confirmed.

132. The village delivery circles have been revised in some cases in order to make them more workable and to expedite the letter deliveries. For this purpose Beppunad has been attached to Murnad, and Ammattinad to Virajendrapet. Bengnad has been transferred from the Napoklu circle to Bagamandala.

133. The village Post Offices at Kakkabe and Hudikeri have been placed on an independent footing.

134 The efforts made to enlist Coorgs for service as local Post Masters are still attended with no success. Most of those entertained when the department was organized in 1881 have since resigned. The duties are distasteful as they do not admit of the incumbent going to his Nad on holidays and other occasions.

135. The total receipts from postage labels amounted to Rs. 22,137—1—0 as against Rs. 17,887—2—0. Of the above sum Rs. 16,357—8—0 was derived from ordinary labels, and Rs. 5,779—9—0 from service labels. The increase is largely due to the fact that postage labels are made use of for payment of telegraph messages in the sub-offices at Virajendrapet and Ammatti.

136. The total cost of the postal service in Coorg amounted to Rs. 17,083-9-6 ; of which Rs. 8,381—12—3 were on account of the District Post, and 8,701-13-3 on account of the Imperial Post.

IRRIGATION.

137. Nil.

V. REVENUE AND FINANCE.

A. IMPERIAL REVENUE AND FINANCE.

138. The total demand for the year amounted to Rs. 6,41,183—9—5, against Rs. 7,05,730—11—1 in the previous year, being a decrease of Rs. 64,547—1—8. The falling off occurs mainly under the following heads :—

(a)	Coffee land assessment	..	Rs. 24,557—8—0
(b)	Forests—short sales	..	„ 20,978—0—0
(c)	Abkari—reduced sales	of liquor „	15,186—4 11

The items of increase and decrease are explained below:—

139. *Land Revenue.* The demand under the head of ordinary land assessment and its adjunct the Dhuly Paddy tax amounted to Rs. 1,77,623—13—11 against Rs. 1,76,990—12—6 exhibiting an increase of Rs. 633—1—5.

140. Under the head of coffee assessment, however, the revenue has been diminished to the amount of Rs. 24,557—8—0 by the remission of half or two-thirds of the assessment for periods of 7 and 10 years granted by Government to owners of half ruined estates situated in certain unfavourable localities to give them a chance of recovery.

141. The demand under casual land revenue amounted to Rs. 17,526—5—4 as compared with Rs. 24,483—12—1. The main item of decrease namely Rs. 6,047—7—7 relates to the sale of waste lands, the demand for which, at a time of depression in the coffee trade, has greatly fallen.

142. The recent orders of the Government of India prohibitory of the conversion of *sagu* lands into *jamma* tenure have had the effect necessarily of reducing the *Nazirkanike* fees very considerably.

143. The demand under forests shows a falling off of Rs. 20,978—11—0. Of this sum Rs. 19,750 represent the decrease from short sales of sandalwood, great difficulty having been experienced by the Forest Department in collecting and transporting it to depot.

144. Under the head of Abkari, the demand was reduced by Rs. 15,186-4-11, the issues at the Sudder Distillery, where the still head duty is collected, having fallen from 41,139 gallons in 1884—85 to 35,788 gallons in the year under report. There was some decrease also in the amount of License fees owing to a reduction in the number of retail vend shops; on the other hand the revenue from toddy showed an increase of Rs. 613—12—0.

145. Under the head of miscellaneous revenue which comprises Stamps, Registration, Post office, Law and Justice, Jails, Education &c., a net increase of Rs. 2,499—11—7 is exhibited.

146. The increase of Rs. 4,249—15—0 from Post Office was contributed largely by the use of postage labels on telegraphic messages at the offices where the Post and Telegraph are combined. The other items of increase are from Law and Justice, Education, Survey, and Miscellaneous. On the other hand the heads stamps, Telegraphs, Jails, and Interest, show a falling off.

147. The falling off under stamps arose from the diminished sales of non-judicial stamps, the receipts being Rs. 15,703—10—0 as compared with Rs. 19,472—13—0 in the previous year. The decrease was nearly counterbalanced however by the revenue from Court fee stamps, which was increased by Rs. 3,532-7-0, mainly due to the institution fees levied on 3 suits of large value filed in the District Judge's Court by Banking and Agency Firms.

148. The decrease under Jails is nominal, the price of work done for Government offices is not now realized in cash but adjusted by book transfer. The cost of printing so adjusted amounted to Rs. 1,762—2—0.

149. The balance of revenue under all heads outstanding at the close of March 1885 was Rs. 2,45,491—5—9. Deducting from this sum Rs. 52,759—2—6 subsequently remitted and struck off as irrecoverable, the amount actually brought forward was Rs. 1,92,732—3—3 which, added to the demand for 1885—86, viz, Rs. 6,41,183—9—5, gave an aggregate sum of Rs. 8,33,915—12—8. Of this amount Rs. 6,43,628—14—6 were realized up to 31st March 1886 leaving a balance of Rs. 1,90,286—14—2.

150. This balance was reduced at the close of June 1886 to Rs. 89,062-8-1; of which the greater part viz. Rs. 58,631—3—6 consists of coffee assessment remaining to be recovered. The gross realization on account of Imperial revenue amounted to Rs. 6,53,125—1—7, and the net receipts after deducting refunds and charges against income amounting to Rs. 2,02,505—9—11 are shown at Rs. 4,50,619—7—8. The expenditure charged against net income was Rs. 3,36,592-2-9 leaving a surplus of Imperial revenue amounting to Rs. 1,14,027—4—11 as

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compared with Rs. 97,235—4—10 in the previous year. The excess in the surplus is due largely to the diminished expenditure on Public Works, which in the previous year was exceptionally heavy owing to the construction of the Siddapur Bridge.

151. At the close of 1884—85, the cash balance in the Coorg Treasuries stood at Rs. 1,84,989—4—5. The net revenue collected, including items of local revenue, amounted to Rs. 5,13,595—0—2. The revenue received but paid away and charged against income amounted to Rs. 2,02,742—0—1. Deposits amounted to Rs. 32,228—0—7. Receipts on account of bills drawn on other treasuries amounted to Rs. 1,87,916—5—1, of which Rs. 1,51,746—1—1 represents receipts of the Postal Department on account of Money Orders, Savings Banks, Bearing charges &c.

152. Remittances from other treasuries amounted to Rs. 1,11,000, of which Rs. 30,000 consisted of silver coins and Rs. 81,000 copper. These sums, with a small amount on account of repayment of advances, bring up the total transactions of the Coorg treasuries on the credit side to Rs. 12,34,271—2—11.

153. The disbursements, which included a remittance of Rs. 1,95,000 in currency notes to Madras, amounted to Rs. 8,41,774—6—11 leaving a cash balance of Rs. 3,92,496—12—0.

B. REVENUE AND FINANCE OTHER THAN IMPERIAL.

154. The revenue balance of District Funds outstanding at the beginning of the year was Rs. 4,346—15—3. Adding to this the demand of the year namely Rs. 39,368—11—2, the total amount for collection was Rs. 43,715—10—5. The actual collections, after deducting remissions as well as the amount collected in advance of demand for 1886—87, and after adding Rs. 4,047—9—0 collected in 1884—85 on account of the year 1885—86, amounted to Rs. 42,170—11—3, thus leaving Rs. 1,711—9—3 outstanding at the close of March 1886.

155. The following items compose the demand :—

	Rs.	As.	P.
Tolls on roads	19,505	0	0
Plough tax	5,719	11	1
Contribution from Imperial to Local Fund Schools	2,600	0	0
Refunds	10	0	0
School Plantation Fund	3,100	12	0
Market fees	1,221	9	0
Tolls on ferries...	1,420	10	0
Staging Bungalows	678	0	0
Pound fees	1,962	9	2
Miscellaneous items	3,150	7	8

156. The demand under Tolls on ferries was reduced from Rs. 1,817 in the previous year to Rs. 1,420—10—0 in consequence of the Nellikadu ferry having been closed on the completion of the Siddapur Bridge.

157. The expenditure incurred was on account of the following items :—

	Rs.	As.	P.
Refunds	31	3	6
Cost of Establishment	2,701	0	1
Works by Public Works Department	28,544	0	5
School Plantation Fund including investment	3,638	5	2
	34,914	9	2

MUNICIPAL FUNDS.

158. The total assets of the 5 Municipalities of Mercara, Virajendrapet, Fraserpet, Somwarpet and Kodlipet, including the opening balance of Rs. 5,497—4—7, amounted to Rs. 26,538—8—0.

159. The aggregate expenditure from Municipal Funds during the year was Rs. 21,861—13—0. The main items were for—

Conservancy	6,429	1	8
Lighting	760	4	3
Dispensaries	6,027	3	0
Primary Schools	3,002	13	7

VI. VITAL STATISTICS AND MEDICAL SERVICES.

DETAILS OF CENSUS.

160. Nil.

BIRTHS AND DEATHS.

161. The number of births registered during the year was 3,118 or 17·48 per mille of the population against 2,652 or 14·87 per mille in the year 1884. The number of deaths was 2,956 or 16·57 per mille against 2,689 or 15·08 per mille. These figures indicate improvement in registration generally, and of the more difficult matter of birth registration in particular, for in former years the deaths reported largely exceeded the births.

162. Of the 2,956 deaths, no less than 2,356 or nearly 80 per cent are attributed to fevers against 85 per cent in the year 1884. Fever seems to be used as a convenient term to comprehend all causes of death not known to the registering officials. In the Hospital returns the Civil Surgeon reports that the proportion of fever to other cases was 2,087 to 9,341. The deaths from small-pox were 240 or nearly 9 per cent. There were no deaths from cholera.

EMIGRATION.

163. Nil.

MEDICAL RELIEF.

164. The number of patients treated in the two Hospitals and Dispensaries was 12,979, of which 497 were in-patients and 12,482 out-patients. The number treated in the previous year was 12,544, of which 478 were in-patients and 12,066 out-patients, the increase being thus 19 and 435, respectively.

165. The income of the two institutions was Rs. 11,930-4-4, viz. Rs. 5,664-5-11 in Mercara and Rs. 6,265—14—5 in Virajendrapet, all of which was expended. The income in the previous year was 11,014—12—0, and the expenditure Rs. 9,953-0-5. The amount of invested capital is Rs. 5,900.

SANITATION.

166. No works of a strictly sanitary nature have been executed during the year, but in the 5 Municipal towns attention continues to be paid to keeping the roads and drains clean, and to preventing the accumulation of filth in the neighbourhood of dwelling houses.

VACCINATION.

167. There has been a slight falling off in the outturn of work in this department. The number of primary operations by the Government and Municipal Vaccinators and in the Dispensaries was 9,558, of which 8,677 or 90·78 per cent were successful cases. The corresponding figures in the previous year were 9,896 and 8,738 or 88·30 per cent. The number of cases of re-vaccination was 646, of which 478 or 74 per cent were successful, the corresponding figures in 1884—85 being 702 and 466 or 66·38 per cent. The total number of operations was accordingly 10,204 against 10,598 in the previous year or 394 less, the successful cases being 9,155 against 9,204, or 49 less. These results are not unsatisfactory, for they show that the great advance in vaccination secured in the preceding year has been fairly maintained.

168. The number of children successfully vaccinated was 900 under one year, and 4,478 above 1 year and under 6 years of age, the corresponding figures for the previous year being 895, and 4,020, respectively. These figures indicate that vaccination is becoming somewhat less unpopular with parents. But on the other hand in the four Municipal towns in which the Vaccination Act XIII of 1880 is in force 445 notices were issued, 168 summonses served, and 12 fines aggregating Rs. 19 inflicted. The corresponding figures in 1884—85 were 289 notices, 139 summonses and 11 fines.

169. The cost of the department was the same as in the preceding year, viz, Rs. 1,808.

VII. INSTRUCTION.

GENERAL SYSTEM OF PUBLIC INSTRUCTION.

170. Vide paragraphs 181 to 184 of the report of 1882—83.

EDUCATION.

171. The number of schools of all kinds, of pupils, and the amount of fees paid by them, for the past two years are contrasted in the following tabular statement.

Class of Schools.	1884—85.			1885—86.			
	Schools.	Pupils.	Fees.	Schools.	Pupils.	Fees.	
Secondary Education.							
Government Schools—English (Mercara Central)	1	321	3,165	1	330	3,152	Divided into High, Middle and Primary.
Municipal do do (Virajendrapet)...	1	77	307	1	86	699	Divided into Middle & Primary.
Aided do do (Mercara St. Mark's)	1	16	562	1	20	770	
Primary Education.							
Government Schools—English ...	3	166	278	3	140	275	
Do do Superior Vernacular...	2	102	69	2	116	168	
Do do Inferior Vernacular...	54	2,789	..	56	2,813	...	
Municipal Schools do ...	4	226	141	5	254	171	
Aided do do ...	4	128	40	5	144	42	
Special Schools.							
Normal School—Vernacular	1	14	...	1	14	...	
Total Departmental Municipal and Aided...	71	3,842	4,562	75	3,917	5,277	
Private or unaided schools	30	404	2,583	32	531	2,576	
Total of all kinds ..	101	4,246	7,145	107	4,448	7,853	

This statement shows that the steady progress in education noticed in several previous years' reports has been maintained.

172. The number of pupils attending the 75 departmental, Municipal and aided schools increased by 75, and the fees collected by Rs. 775, which is satisfactory.

173. There were 32 private or unaided schools attended by 531 pupils, who pay in fees Rs. 2,576, or Rs. 4—13—7 for each pupil per annum. On the other hand each pupil in the departmental and aided schools is shown as paying on the average only Rs. 1—5—6 per annum; but this very low average is due to the fact that no fees have hitherto been demanded from the pupils attending the inferior vernacular schools, the cost of which was till 1884—85 defrayed entirely from a voluntarily imposed rate on ryot's holdings. Fees paid by pupils attending the other schools where fees are levied averaged Rs. 4—12—6 per pupil, which is nearly the sum collected per head in the private schools. In future, however, the general average will be somewhat higher as it has been decided to levy fees in all the schools.

174. Classified according to race or creed the 3,917 pupils attending the Government Municipal and aided schools were composed of 2,461 Coorgs, 1,120 other Hindus, 159 Mahamedans, 20 Europeans and Eurasians, 122 Native Christians, and 35 others. Classified according to sex there were 3,428 boys and 489 girls. About 9 per cent of the Coorgs, or 15 per cent of the males and 2·60 per cent of the females, are under instruction in public or *quasi* public schools besides those in private schools. Assuming that the proportion of children of school going age to the total population is 15 per cent, the above figures imply that the whole of the boys of the Coorg race are attending school, which is highly to the credit of the Coorgs.

175. The accommodation in the boarding house attached to the Central School having been found to be insufficient, a vacant Government building was placed at the disposal of the Educational Department as an additional boarding house. About half the 104 boarder students have been moved into it. This measure has been found of decided advantage to the health and comfort of the boarders.

176. A marked improvement has been made under the head of inspection, the number of visits of inspection made by the Inspector having been 72 against 40 in 1884—85, and by the Deputy Inspector 208 against 101.

177. The Mercara Central School is the only school in the province which has hitherto done anything in preparing pupils for examinations. Out of 11 boys who were presented for the Matriculation standard 10 passed, 3 in the first class. This is an improvement on the results obtained in the previous year, when only 3 passed out of 9. On the other hand there has been a falling off in the results of the Middle School Examination, only 12 candidates having passed against 20 in the year 1884—85. The cause of failure was probably the raising of the standard of the examination.

178. Some attention has been paid during the past three years to the establishment of scholarships. When all the scholarships that have been sanctioned are assigned, which must depend to a certain extent on the funds available, there will be 23 scholarships as follows:—

8 scholarships at Rs. 15 per mensem paid from an Educational endowment consisting of a coffee estate managed by a Local Committee;

9 scholarships at Rs. 15 per mensem; and

6 at Rs. 10 per mensem paid from Imperial revenues.

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179. The expenditure under all heads, Imperial, Local, Municipal, fees and endowments, amounted to Rs. 40,554 against Rs. 31,559 in the previous year—an increase of Rs. 8,995, of which Rs. 3,990 are under the head of Imperial. In the above figures the sum of Rs. 2,600 grant-in-aid to the plough tax fund may be said to be included twice over as it appears first as an imperial charge and again as expended from a local fund.

LITERATURE AND THE PRESS.

180. Nil.

LITERARY SOCIETIES.

181. The Newspaper Club and Debating Society attached to the Central School has been usually returned under this head. Debates were occasionally held during the year, and some lectures in Canarese were well attended. The subscriptions amounted to Rs. 366—12—0 during the year.

ARTS AND SCIENCES.

182. Nil.

VIII. ARCHÆOLOGY.

183. Nil.

IX. MISCELLANEOUS.

ECCLESIASTICAL JURISDICTION.

Ecclesiastical.

184. The Province has been without the services of a Church of England Chaplain during the greater part of the year, the Revd. F. C. Hill M. A. who joined in September 1885 having been again withdrawn for service with the expeditionary Force in Upper Burmah in the November following.

185. *Basel Evangelical Mission.*—The Revd. F. Viel was succeeded at Mercara during the year by the Revd. J. Hafner. The number of Native Christians attached to this body is reported to be 244 besides 19 Europeans.

186. *Roman Catholic Mission.*—The Revd. P. Grandin has taken charge of the Mission in succession to Revd. P. A. Ranluarean. The members of this communion are returned at 2,030 natives and 94 others.

STATIONERY.

187. Nil.

GENERAL MISCELLANEOUS.

MUZARAYI.

188. The grant made to the temples amounted to Rs. 13,785—15—2. The income of these institutions was supplemented by Rs 990—5—0 derived from Jodi allowances on land as well as by Rs. 9,566—13—5 from land endowments, the aggregate receipts being Rs. 24,343—1—7.

189. These funds, together with the offerings made at the temples, are controlled by a Committee, of which the 2nd Assistant Commissioner is ex-officio President. The members of the Committee have not been appointed under Act XXII of 1863, and so far as regards therefore all monies other than voluntary offerings received for the maintenance of the temples &c. the 2nd Assistant Commissioner has been desired to render periodical accounts to the Commissioner's office.

APPENDICES.

STATISTICAL TABLES.

I. STATISTICS OF PHYSICAL, POLITICAL AND FISCAL GEOGRAPHY.

A. PHYSICAL GEOGRAPHY OF THE TERRITORIES UNDER THE CIVIL AND POLITICAL CONTROL OF THE ADMINISTRATION.

1. *Area cultivated and uncultivated for the official year* 1885—86.

District.	Area shown by the Survey Department	Deduct.			Net area dealt with in this return.	Cultivated.			Uncultivated.			Forests.
		Feudatory and Tributary States.	Area for which returns are otherwise not available.	Total.		Actually cropped.	Current fallows.	Total.	Available for cultivation	Not available for cultivation.	Total.	
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13
Coorg ...	10,13,000 Acres.	...	...	..	10,13,000	1,38,345	24,079	1,62,424	48,350	6,49,207	6,97,557	1,53,019

Rice ..	73,401	1,895	250	
Other food grains..	1,425	...	...	
Garden lands .	79	.		
Coffee lands	50,150	22,184	*4,672	*Waste last year ...3,500 Do this year ...1,172 Total.....4,672
Bane ...	13,000	...	...	
Cardamom lands...	290		32,428	
Backyards ...	..	.	11,000	
	1,38,345	24,079	48,350	

2. *Character of Surface*, 1885—86.

Nature of different tracts.	Names, Area and Physical Description of each tract	Where situated, in British or Native Territory.	Prevailing Soils, Minerals and Products.
	Vide Report for 1870—71.		

3. *Climate*, 1885—86.

Place at which observations taken and year for which taken.	Rain-fall Inches.				Average Temperature in the year.									Prevailing winds.			Remarks.
					May.			July.			December.						
	January to May.	June to September.	October to December.	Total.	Maximum.	Minimum.	Mean.	Maximum.	Minimum.	Mean.	Maximum.	Minimum.	Mean	January to May.	June to September	October to December.	
Mercara Observatory for the year 1885.	8·23	108·88	10·77	127·88	82·6	64·1	70·5	69·2	62·4	64·3	74·9	59·7	65·4	W. S. W.	W.	N. E. by N.	

I B. POLITICAL RELATIONS.

1. *Native States*, 1885—86.

Name of State	Tribute in Men or Money.	Population.	Supposed Gross Revenue.	Military Force.	Transit duties or not.	Principal Articles of Production including Manufactures and Mines.	Remarks.
				Nil.			

2. *Native Chiefs and Principal Male Members of their Families.*

Names and Individuals, State and Family to which they belong	Present position.	Caste or Race and Religion.	Age	How educated	How employed.	Has Sanad authorizing adoption or not.	Has male heirs or not.	Family follows primogeniture.	Remarks.
1. Devammaji the sister of the late Virarajendra Wodayar and widow of Channa Basappa. She has a jaghir in Kuvengerinad of the Padmalknad Taluk managed by her.	Draws a pension of Rs. 250 per mensem from Government.	Sudra Sivachari.		Can write Canarese fluently.	Look after their household affairs	Vide letter from the Under Secretary to the Government of India to Agent, Governor General, Banares, No. 203, dated 1st February 1877.			
2. Shome Shekhar is the only surviving illegitimate son of the Ex-Raja of Coorg. He has a wife named Devama aged 30, and has three sons, Viraj aged 13, Lingraj aged 11, and Mundraj aged 6, and one daughter two years and three months old. he has a property worth Rs 10,000 in Benares	Do Rs. 200 from Do.	Do	51	Knows Kanarese and can sign his name in English and Persian.			Has three sons, viz. Viraj, Lingraj, and Mundraj.	Yes.	
3 Devama, widow of the late Lingraj the legitimate son of the late Ex-Raja of Coorg, has about Rs 90,000 worth Promissory Note deposited in the Bank of Bengal, Benares.	Do Rs. 150.	Do	32	Knows Kanarese.			Nil.	No	
4. Chinnama, widow of the late Veerabhadra an illegitimate son of the late Ex-Raja of Coorg, has a debt about Rs 800 and has no issue	Do Rs. 100.	Do	29	Do			Do	Do	
5. Parvatamma, widow of the late Nunjhund an illegitimate son of the late Ex-Raja of Coorg, has a debt of Rs. 800 and has no issue	Do	Do	32	Do			Do	Do	
6. Subesamma a concubine of the late Ex-Raja of Coorg.	Do of Rs. 50 per mensem.	Do	65	Do			Do	Do	
7. Jasoda Bai is a concubine of the late said Nunjhund, she has a son Kadar Prasad aged 8, and has a debt about Rs. 300.	Do Rs. 30.	Sudra Hindurm	34	Do			Has a son Kadar-Prasad.	Do	
8. Mudami, widow of the late Jang Bahadur and illegitimate daughter of late Ex-Raja of Coorg.	Do Rs. 40.	Sudra Sivachari.	51	Do			Nil	Do	

I. C. CIVIL DIVISIONS OF BRITISH TERRITORY.

Name of Commissionership.	Number of Executive Districts.	Number of Judicial and Revenue Sub-Divisions.	Area in square miles.	Population.	Chief Towns with Population.	Number of Villages.	How many Civil and Revenue Judges of all sorts.	How many Magistrates of all sorts.	Maximum distance in miles of Villages from nearest Court.	Average of do.	No. of Police.	Total Cost of Officials and Police of all sorts.	Revenue. Land	Revenue. Gross.	Remarks.
Coorg.	1	6 principal Revenue Subordinates. 8 principal Judicial Subordinates.	1532·81 Square miles.	1,78,302	Mercara 8,333 Virajendrapet 4,576	514	33 Revenue Judges. { 1 Commissioner. 6 Subelars. 24 Parattigars. 2 Assistant Par-Judges of all sorts. } 16 Civil Judges.	22	25	5	Town Police 188 Rural Police 4,057 4,245	Rs. 2,42,463—2—11.	Rs. 3,06,752—0—0.	Rs. 7,03,776—2—11.	

I. D. POPULATION.

District.	Inhabited Houses.			Population.					Classification of Population.							Occupation.		Prevailing Languages.	Emigration and Immigration during the year.
	No. of masonry dwellings.	Do of other kinds.	Total.	Men.	Women.	Children under 12 years. Boys.	Children under 12 years. Girls.	Total.	No. per square mile.	Christians. Europeans.	Christians. East Indians and other mixed classes.	Natives.	Coorgs.	Hindus.	Mahamedans.	Parsis.	Buddhists or Jains.	Aborigines.	Agriculturists.	Non-Agriculturists.		
Coorg ...	Not specified.	Not specified.	22,357	69,453	48,952	30,986	28,911	1,78,302	112·63	226	287	2,637	27,033	80,826	12,541	21	99	54,650	89,373	89,929	Canarese, Coorg, Hindustani, Malayalim, Tamil, Tulu, Telugu Mahratti and Konkani.	Migratory coolies 20,000

I. E. FISCAL.

Survey and Settlement

1. *Survey.*

Area previously surveyed.			Cost per square mile.		Surveyed and finally examined during 1885-86			Cost per square mile.			Remarks.
Trigonometrically.	Topographical. Topographically surveyed.	Revenue. Boundary demarcated and surveyed.	Trig nometrical.	Topographical, inclusive of village boundaries demarcated and surveyed.	Trigonometrical.	Topographical. Topographically surveyed.	Revenue. Boundaries demarcated and surveyed.	Trigonometrical.	Topographical inclusive of village boundaries surveyed.	Coffee Estates and devarakadus per acre.	
Nil	514 Villages 1582·81 Square miles.	514 Villages 1582·31 Square miles. Acres. 1,15,085-07 Coffee Estates &c ... 14,251-14 843 Devarakadus ... 2 Deductions and 7 Special Surveys 388·82	Nil	Rs. 93—0—10 average per square mile.	Nil	Nil	Nil	Nil	Nil	1—9—4	Exclusive of resurveyed and cancelled blocks. Vide para I of Memo on the Survey Operations for 1885—86.
							Demarcated and Surveyed, Acs. 48 Coffee Estates and Waste Land Blocks 561-08 16 Devarakadus ... 65-79 9 Special Surveys 559·38	Final examination of maps in the Field. 134 Maps of Coffee Estates and Devarakadus and 1 map of special survey, area in all 783·11 Acres.				

2. *Surveyed and Assessed area for* 1885—86.

1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9		10	11	12
District.	Total Area by Survey less Foulatories	Deduct Area not fully assessed including Estates assessed at privileged rates.	Balance of Area fully assessed.	Total Land Revenue (excluding Cesses) of District (column 2.)	Population of district (Column 2)	Land Revenue per head of population (Columns 5 and 6).	Land Revenue assessed on fully assessed area. (Column 4.)	Incidence of land Revenue (Column 8) on fully assessed Area (Column 4) per acre. For total Area	For cultivated Area only	Population of fully assessed Area.	Land Revenue Assessment per head of population of fully assessed Area.	Towns over 10,000 inhabitants.
Coorg	10,13,000	*9,17,157	95,843	2,64,414—14—2	1,78,302	Rs. 1 7-8	Rs. 1,89,37,-14-4	1-15-7	2-9-2	...	..	..

*In this area is included the area of Jamma lands ... 37,114
Timbali 7,933
Jodi 3,212
... 48,259 Assessed at privileged rates.
And also Jagheer ... ... 3,137 Rent free lands.
51,396

Brought forward . ..	51,396
Forest	..1,53,019
Waste . ..	...6,97,557
Bane Cardamom &c.	... 15,185
	9,17,157

I. E. FISCAL.

3. *Varieties of Tenure held direct from Government during the year* 1885—86.

Nature of Tenure.	Number of Estates.	Number of Villages.	Number of holders or shareholders.	Gross Area in Acres.	Average Area of each Estate.	Average Assessment of each Estate.	Revenue Rate per Acre.	Supposed net profit per acre.
Great Zamindaries paying more than Rs. 50,000 revenue. — Held by individuals under law of primogeniture.								
Great Zamindaries paying more than Rs. 50,000 revenue. — Held by individuals and families under ordinary law.								
Large Zamindaries paying from Rs. 50,000 to Rs. 5,000 revenue. — Under law of primogeniture.								
Large Zamindaries paying from Rs. 50,000 to Rs. 5,000 revenue. — Under ordinary law.								
Zamindaries paying from Rs. 5,000 to Rs. 100 revenue.								
Small Zamindaries other than those of cultivating communities paying less than Rs. 100 revenue.								
Peasant Proprietors paying separately	14,579	...	6,521	23,509	1·61	5 9 1	3 5 4	
Holders of wholly or partly revenue free tenures. — In perpetuity	9,616	...	4,829	51,318	5·33	7 12 6	0 5 4 to 1 10 8	
Holders of wholly or partly revenue free tenures. — For life or lives.	9	...	3	78	8·66	..	...	
Land holders who have redeemed the revenue ..	...	...	...	...	...	..	...	
Purchase of waste lands	4,781	..	4,781	72,334	15·13	22 10 8	1 0 0 to 2 0 0	
Total ...	28,985	514	16,134	1,47,239	5·08	9 1 11	0 5 4 to 3 5 4	

Items shown in Statement A 1 do not appear in this return for reasons given opposite to them.

Bane	...	13,000 Acres
Fallow	..	1,895
		14,895 not assessed.
Cardamom cultivated area		290 There is no column provided for exhibiting this item in this return.
Total		15,185

4. *Register of Transfers in Coorg for* 1885—86.

	Number of Transfers.		Total area transferred.	
	By order of Court.	By private contract or gift.	By order of Court.	By private contract or gift.
Proprietors — Revenue paying... ...	25	588	173·97	3262·66
Proprietors — Revenue free	...	.	..	
Tenants who have Statutory (otherwise recognized powers of transfer.)	...	...	.	

5. *Land Revenue*, 1885—86.

Description of Revenue.	Revenue last year. Assessed.	Revenue last year. Realized.	Revenue this year. Assessed.	Revenue this year. Realized.	Cost of collection.	Net collection during the year	Out-standing balances.	No. of sales for arrears of Revenue.	Revenue of estates sold.
From settled estates bearing revenue in past year ...	2,94,304 11 4	1,14,667 9 7	2,70,571 3 10	1,22,263 12 3					
Settled estates added to revenue roll during the present year.					Rs. 7,411—11—7				
Settled estates taken off revenue roll in the present year.					Rs. 3,13,030—0—4				
Collection from Government estates.					Current year Rs. 1,55,586—5—1				
Income from sale of Government estates ...	8,276 5 3	8,247 11 7	2,229 13 8	2,222 10 6	Previous years Rs. 13,691—8—8				
Miscellaneous land revenue not included in the above ...	35,052 12 9	23,572 6 5	33,951 14 6	25,569 2 8	Total 1,69,277—13—9			35	528 4 11
Total.....	3,37,633 13 4	1,46,487 11 7	3,06,752 0 0	1,50,060 9 5					

Balance at the close of 1884—85... ...	2,28,092 15 5		
Demand for 1885—86...	3,06,752 0 0		
Total... ..	5,34,844 15 5	5,34,844 15 5	
Deduct— Collections.			
For previous years ...	1,62,881 6 7		
For 1885—86 ...	1,50,060 9 5		
	3,12,942 0 0		
Received in advance of demand for 1886—87...	88 0 4		
	3,13,030 0 4		
As above	3,12,942 0 0		
In 1884—85 in advance of demand for 1885-86.	25 14 2	3,12,967 14 2	
Deduct remissions .. See D C and B Statement No. 1 ..	... .	2,21,877 1 3	
2 ...	52,521 0 10		
	78 2 8	52,599 3 6	
Balance on 31st March 1886...	... ...	1,69,277 13 9	

II. STATISTICS OF PROTECTION.

A. LEGISLATURE.

1. *Statement of the Acts of the Governor General in Council extended to the Province of Coorg, during the year* 1885—86.

Title of Act.	By whom proposed.	Object and Character of the Act.	Date on which extended.
	Nil.		

2. *Statement of Bills proposed or pending in the Legislature of Coorg during the year* 1885—86.

Title of Bill.	By whom proposed.	Object and Character of the Bill.	When introduced.	When rejected or withdrawn.	If pending, why and in what state.
		Nil.			

3. *Statement of Draft Bills submitted by the Chief Administrative Authority of the Province of Coorg for the consideration of the Legislature of India during the year* 1885—86.

Title of Bill.	By whom proposed.	Object and Character of the Bill.	Date, Result or Present Position of the proposed Bill.
	Nil.		

II. B. JUDICIAL.—Civil and Criminal.

1. *Statement showing the number of Judicial Divisons and the Number of Officers exercising Appellate or Original Jurisdiction in the Province of Coorg on the last day of the year* 1885, *with the Cost of Tribunals.*

Name of Province.	Area.	Population.	Number of Divisions for Courts under Chief Court, but superior to Chief Courts of Districts.	Number of Districts.	Number of Sub-Districts.	Total Number of Officers exercising Original or Appellate Jurisdiction.					Total Number of Cases decided.				Total Receipts of the Courts.	Total Charges of the Courts.	Remarks.		
						Judges of Chief Court of Province.	Judges of other Courts superior to Chief District Courts.	Judges of Chief Courts of Districts.	Judges of District Courts other than Chief Courts.	Judges of other Subordinate Courts.	Original.		Appeals.						
											Regular.	Miscellaneous	Regular.	Miscellaneous.					
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15	16	17	18		
Province of Coorg — Civil	1,582 Square miles.	1,78,302	...	1	..	1	...	1	2	13	2,564	653	155	18	60,310—2—8	68,840—7—1	Grades of Judicial Officers.	Europeans.	Natives.
																	Officers exercising both Original and Appellate Jurisdiction.		
																	1 District Magistrate 1 Sessions Judge. 1 Judicial Commissioner.	3	
Criminal ..			1	1	..	1	...	2	..	20	1,723	147	85	5			Officers exercising Original Jurisdiction only.		
																	1 1st Class Magistrate. 2 2nd Class Magistrates. 13 3rd Class Magistrates.		

II. B. JUDICIAL.—CRIMINAL.

1. *Statement showing the General Result of the Trial of European British Subjects in Coorg in the year* 1885.

Description of Offence.	Number of persons accused and brought before a Magistrate.							Persons whose cases were disposed of—														Number of Cases.					Subsidiary Table.	
		Within the year.						By District Magistrates and other 1st Class Magistrates.						By Courts of Sessions.				By High Court.		Total for all Courts.							
	Remaining at the close of the previous year.	On complaint, Section 191 (a), Criminal Procedure Code.	On Police report, Section 191 (b) of the Code.	By Magistrate *suo motu*, Section 191 (c) of the Code.	On transfer from another Province.	Total.	Died, escaped or transferred to other Provinces.	Number actually brought to trial.	Received by transfer under Section 461 B of the Code.	Convicted.	Acquitted or discharged.	Committed. To Court of Sessions.	To High Court.	Transferred by order under Section 451 B of the Code.	Total omitting entries in columns 10 and 15.	Received by transfer under Section 461 B of the Code.	Convicted.	Acquitted or discharged. Transferred to High Court under Section 449 of the Code.	Total exclusive of column 17.	Convicted.	Acquitted.	Total.	Convicted.	Acquitted or discharged.	Total. Number of persons under trial at the close of the year.	Brought to trial.	Disposed of.	Pending.	Number of persons who applied to the High Court for an order under Section 466 of the Code. Of those entered in column 5 number who applied under Section 2, Act III of 1884, for transfer or committal of their cases.	Number of persons who applied to the High Court under Section 526 of the Code for the transfer of their cases.		
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15	16	17	18	19	20	21	22	23	24	25	26	27	28	29	30	31	32	33	34	35		36	
																																		Of the total number of Persons shown in—			Of cases shown in column 30.	
																																		Column 16.		Column 21.	Columns 21 to 24.	Disposed of by Magistrates.	Disposed of by Sessions Judges.
																																		Number who claimed to be tried by a mixed jury, Section 451 A (1) of the Code.	Number who did not so claim.	Number of these in column 35 (1) whose cases were transferred under Section 451 B of the Code.	Number who claimed a mixed number of Assessors, Section 451, (2) of the Code.	Number who did not so claim.	Number who claimed to be tried by a mixed Jury, Section 451 (1) of the Code.	Number who did not so claim.	Being European British subjects.	Other than European British subjects.	Being European British subjects.	Other than European British subjects.
																																		1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11
Offences against the State, Chapter VI, of the Indian Penal Code... ...																																		...	7	...	...	...	...	7	...	...	...	...
Offences relating to the army and navy, Chapter VII...																																												
Offences against the public tranquility, Chapter VIII...																																												
Offences by or relating to public servants, Chapter IX																																												
Contempts of the lawful authority of public servants, Chapter X ...																																												
False evidence and offences agaist public justice, Chapter XI																																												
Offences relating to coin and Government Stamps, Chapter XII																																												
Offences relating to weights and measures, Chapter XIII																																												
Offences affecting the public health, safety, convenience, decency and morals, Chapter XIV																																												
Offences relating to religion, Chapter XV.																																												

1. *Statement showing the General Result of the Trial of European British Subjects in Coorg in the year* 1885.

Description of Offence.	Number of persons accused and brought before a Magistrate.						Persons whose cases were disposed of—																Number of Cases						Secretary Table	
		Within the year.							By District Magistrates and other 1st class Magistrates.					By Courts of Sessions.				By High Court.			Total for all Courts.									
	Remaining at the close of the previous year.	On complaint, Section 191 (a), Criminal Procedure Code.	On Police report, Section 191 (b) of the Code.	By Magistrate suo motu, Section 191 (c) of the Code.	On transfer from another Province.	Total.	Died, escaped or transferred to other Provinces.	Number actually brought to trial.	Received by transfer under Section 461 B of the Code.	Convicted.	Acquitted or discharged.	Committed. To Court of Sessions.	To High Court.	Transferred by order under Section 451 B of the Code	Total omitting entries in columns 10 and 15.	Received by transfer under Section 461 B of the Code.	Convicted.	Acquitted or discharged.	Transferred to High Court under Section 449 of the Code.	Total exclusive of column 17.	Convicted.	Acquitted.	Total.	Convicted.	Acquitted or discharged.	Total.	Number of persons under trial at the close of the year.	Brought to trial.	Disposed of.	Pending.	Number of persons who applied to the High Court for an order under Section 468 of the Code.	Of those entered in column 5 number who applied under Section 2, Act III of 1884, for transfer or committal of their cases.	Number of persons who applied to the High Court under Section 526 of the Code for the transfer of their cases.		
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15	16	17	18	19	20	21	22	23	24	25	26	27	28	29	30	31	32	33	34	35	36
Offences affecting life ...																																			
Causing miscarriage: injuries to unborn children, exposure of infants; and the concealment of births ...																																			
Offences affecting the human body, Chapter XVI. — Hurt ...	...	1	...	...	.	1		1	...	.	1			..	1	.	..	..	.	.	...	..	..	1	1		1	1	..	..	...				8
Wrongful restraint and wrongful confinement ...																																			
Criminal force and assault ...	..	6	...		.	6	1	5	.	2	3	.	...	...	5	...	.	..	..					2	3	5	1	6	5	1	.	..	.		
Kidnapping, forceable abduction, slavery and forced labour ...																																			
Rape																																			
Unnatural offence ...																																			
Offences against property, Chapter XVII. — Theft																																			
Extortion																																			
Robbery and dacoity ...																																			
Criminal misappropriation of property ...																																			
Criminal breach of trust.																																			
Receiving of stolen property																																			
Cheating																																			
Fraudulent deeds and disposition of property ..																																			
Mischief																																			
Criminal trespass ...																																			
Offences relating to documents and to trade or property marks, Chapter XVIII..																																			
Criminal breach of contracts of service, Chapter XIX ...																																			
Offences relating to marriage, Chap. XX.																																			
Defamation, Chapter XXI ...																																			
Criminal intimidation, insult and annoyance, Chapter XXII ...	...	1	...	...	...	1	...	1	...	1	...	...	...	.	1	...	..	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	1	..	1	1	...	...	...	...		
Offences under special and local laws...																																			
Total.....	...	8	...	...	...	8	1	7	...	3	4	...	...	...	*7	..	...	...	...	..	...	...	...	3	4	7	1	8	*7	1	...	...	...		

*See Columns 35 and 36 on page 7.

II. B. JUDICIAL.—CRIMINAL.

2. *Statement of Offences reported and of Persons tried, convicted and acquitted of each Class of Offences in the Province of Coorg in the year* 1885.

Description of Offences.	Number of offences reported.	Number of cases returned as true.	Number of cases brought to trial during the year.	Number of Persons—					Remarks.
				Under trial during the year, including pending from previous year.	Acquitted or discharged.	Convicted.	Died, escaped or transferred to another Province.	Remaining under trial.	
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10
Offences against the State, Chapter VI of the Indian Penal Code	...	.	...	...	...	...	...	...	
Do relating to Army and Navy Chapter VII ..	...	.	..	...	...	...	...	...	
Do against the public tranquillity do VIII...	12	11	12	110	60	42	...	8	
Do by or relating to public servants do IX ..	...	..	...	..	...	...	...	...	
Contempts of the lawful authority of public servants ... do X .	10	8	9	17	4	11	1	1	
False evidence and offences against public justice ... ... do XI ..	19	18	18	24	9	15	...	...	
Offences relating to coin and Government Stamps ... ... do XII...	3	3	3	3	1	2	...	...	
Do relating to weights and measures do XIII...	20	18	18	21	4	14	1	2	
Do affecting the public health, safety, convenience, decency and morals do XIV...	10	9	9	40	1	39	...	...	
Do relating to religion ... do XV...	3	3	3	6	6	...	...	...	
Offences affecting human body, Chapter XVI. — Offences affecting life ...	20	15	14	28	12	13	2	1	
Causing of miscarriage; injuries to unborn children; exposure of infants, and the concealment of births .	5	3	3	7	5	2	...	...	
Hurt	79	72	72	142	102	36	...	4	
Wrongful restraint and wrongful confinement ...	81	77	78	121	90	31	...	...	
Criminal force and assault . .	458	439	430	764	599	146	5	14	
Kidnapping, forcible abduction, slavery and forced labour .	5	4	4	8	7	1	...	...	
Rape . .	4	3	3	6	5	1	...	...	
Unnatural offence ...	...		...	...	...	...	...	...	
Offences against property, Chapter XVII. — Theft . ..	327	242	235	408	215	181	1	11	
Extortion	4	4	4	18	18	...	...	...	
Robbery and dacoity ...	7	5	5	30	12	10	...	8	
Criminal misappropriation of property	12	11	12	17	9	7	1	...	
Criminal breach of trust . .	39	26	25	35	28	5	..	2	
Receiving of stolen property.	14	13	12	20	14	5	...	1	
Cheating	8	8	7	10	6	3	...	1	
Fraudulent deeds and disposition of property ..	...	...	...	...	.	...	...	...	
Mischief	131	116	114	175	130	41	1	3	
Criminal trespass .	55	42	39	59	40	17	...	2	
Offences relating to documents and to trade or property marks, Chapter XVIII ..	7	5	5	9	7	2	..	...	
Criminal breach of contracts of service do XIX ..	...	...	...	...	...	..	...	...	
Offences relating to marriage do XX ..	9	7	6	11	10	1	...	...	
Defamation ... do XXI...	8	6	6	9	2	7	...	...	
Criminal intimidation, insult and annoyance .. do XXII ..	177	167	166	260	148	104	2	6	
Offences under Special and Local Laws.									
Cattle Trespass Act I of 1871 .	19	16	17	28	18	9	...	1	
Gambling Act III of 1867	2	2	2	9	6	3	...	...	
Municipal Bye-Laws	3	3	3	3	...	3	...	...	
Rules for the preservation of forests in Coorg 1871 ...	6	6	6	21	...	20	1	...	
Police Act. V of 1861 ..	48	48	48	77	22	55	...	...	
Breach of Contract Act XIII of 1859 ..	936	339	339	441	307	134	...	...	
General Stamp Act I of 1879 ...	2	2	2	9	...	9	...	...	
Excise Act. VIII of 1881 .	14	13	14	25	6	19	...	...	
Act to prevent thefts of coffee, Madras Act VIII of 1878 ..	3	3	3	5	...	5	...	...	
Vaccination Act XIII of 1880 ..	14	14	14	31	25	6	...	...	
Indian Tolls Act VIII of 1851 ..	1	1	1	1	...	1	...	...	
Indian Arms Act IX of 1878 .	4	4	5	5	2	2	...	1	
Total	2,579	1,786	1,766	3,013	1,930	1,002	15	66	

3. Statement of Miscellaneous Proceedings under the Criminal Procedure Code in the Province of Coorg during 1885.

Nature of Proceedings.	Total number of cases before the Courts during the year.	Number of persons concerned.	Number of persons discharged.	Number of persons convicted.	Remarks.
1	2	3	4	5	6
1. Proceedings against witnesses under Chapter VI C and Section 485	..	...		..	
2. Proceedings under Chapter VIII to prevent breach of the peace . .	..		..	.	
3. Proceedings under Chapter VIII Security for good behaviour	2	10	10	...	
4. Proceedings against local nuisances, Chapter X	..	...	..	..	
5. Possession, Chapter XII	...		...	...	
6. Frivolous or vexatious complaints summarily dealt with under Chapter XX, Section 250	17	17	...	17	
7. Non-attendance of Jurors or Assessors, Chapter XXIII	.	...	...	..	
8. Maintenance, Chapter XXXVI	6	6	2	4	
9. Forfeiture of bail or recognizance under Chapter XLII	4	4		4	
Total ..	29	37	12	25	

4. Statement showing the General Result of Criminal Trials in the Tribunals of Various Classes in the Province of Coorg in the year 1885.

Class of Courts.	Total number of persons under trial.	Persons whose cases were disposed of—					Persons remaining under trial at the end of the year.	Number of cases disposed of during the year.	Average number of days during which each case lasted.	Number of witnesses examined.	Remarks.
		Died, escaped or transferred to another Province.	Discharged or acquitted.	Convicted		Committed or referred.					
				On regular trial.	On summary trial.						
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12
1. Court of Sessions	45	2	13	29	..	..	1	20	26	194	
2. Chief Magistrates or Districts	297	2	154	69	21	45	6	131	9	486	
3. Stipendiary Magistrates sitting singly	2,793	11	1,763	883	...	77	59	1,572	9·9	5,184	
Total.....	3,135	15	1,930	981	21	122	66	1,723	10·01	5,864	

5. *Statement showing the Punishments inflicted by the various Criminal Tribunals in the Province of Coorg in the year* 1885.

Class of Tribunal.	Persons sentenced to—										Detail of Punishment.																	Number of boys whose sentences were commuted to detention in a Reformatory School.
				Imprisonment,							Fine.									Imprisonment.					Whipped.			
	Death.	Transportation.	Penal servitude.	Rigorous.	Simple.	Forfeiture of property.	Fine.	Whipping.	Persons ordered to find or give security or recognizance to keep the peace, or securities for good behaviour.	Persons imprisoned in default of security for good behaviour.	Rs. 10 and under.	Rs. 50 and under.	Rs. 100 and under.	Rs. 500 and under.	Rs. 1,000 and under.	Above Rs. 1,000.	Total amount of fines imposed during the year.	Total amount of fines realized during the year.	Amount paid by way of compensation.	15 days and under.	6 months and under.	2 years and under.	7 years and under.	Above 7 years.	10 stripes and under.	20 stripes and under.	30 stripes and under.	
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15	16	17	18	19	20	21	22	23	24	25	26	27	28	29
Court of Sessions	*5	..	...	23	1	...	11	...	...	...	...	9	2	...	...	...	519 0 0	181 9 6	50 0 0	2	6	16	...	...	...	...	...	
Chief Magistrates of Districts ..	..	...	..	38	7	..	45	6	...	..	27	16	2	...	...	.	995 0 0	894 9 0	165 0 0	24	16	5	...	...	3	1	2	
Stipendiary Magistrates sitting singly	...	...	...	151	57	...	612	2	...	...	483	105	24	...	...	...	5,375 12 0	4,541 14 0	1,605 10 0	115	92	1	...	...	1	1	...	
Total	5	...	...	212	65	.	668	8	...	...	510	130	28	...	...	...	6,880 12 0	5,618 0 6	1,820 10 0	141	114	22	...	...	4	2	2	

*Of the 5 sentenced to death by the Sessions Judge, the sentence of death passed on 4 was confirmed by the Judicial Commissioner, while the 5th was transported for life.

II. B. JUDICIAL.—CRIMINAL.

PART I.

5a. Statement showing the Particulars of Whipping inflicted by the Criminal Tribunals in Coorg during 1885 *under Sections* 2 *and* 3, *Act VI*, 1864, *in lieu of other Punishments.*

Offences for which awarded.	Number of stripes awarded.												
	5 and under.		6 to 10		11 to 15.		16 to 20		21 to 25		26 to 30.		
	1st conviction.	2nd or subsequent conviction.	1st conviction	2nd or subsequent conviction.	1st conviction.	2nd or subsequent conviction.	1st conviction.	2nd or subsequent conviction.	1st conviction.	2nd or subsequent conviction.	1st conviction.	2nd or subsequent conviction.	Total.
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14
In lieu of other punishments (Sections 2 & 3, Act VI 1864)													
1. Theft as defined in— Section 378 I P C.	..	...	..	..	...	...	...		...	...	..	...	...
do 380 do ...		..	3	..	...	.	1	1	...	...	..	..	5
do 381 do ...		..	1	...	...	..	...	...	.	..	1	..	2
do 382 do ...													
2. Extortion as defined in— do 388 do ...													
do 389 do ...													
3. Dishonestly receiving stolen property as defined in— do 411 do ...													
do 412 do ...													
4 Lurking house trespass as defined in— do 443 do ...													
5. Do by night as defined in— do 444 do													
6. House breaking as defined in— do 445 do ...													
7 Do by night as defined in— do 446 do ...													
8. Offences under Section 14, Act III of 1880													
Total.....	...	.	4	..	...	...	1	1	...	...	1	...	7

II. B. JUDICIAL—CRIMINAL.—*Concluded.*

PART II.

Statement showing Whippings inflicted in addition to other Punishments, Sections 3 and 4, Act VI, 1864.

Offences for which awarded.	Number of stripes. 5 and under.	6 to 10.	11 to 15.	16 to 20.	21 to 25.	26 to 30.	Total.
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8
In addition to other punishments (Sections 3 and 4)							
A—Section 3.							
1 Theft as defined in— Section 378 I P C. / do 380 do / do 381 do / do 382 do	...	..	...	...	1	...	1
2 Extortion as defined in— do 388 do / do 389 do							
3 Dishonestly receiving stolen property as defined in— do 411 do / do 412 do							
4 Lurking house trespass as defined in— do 443 do							
5 Do by night as defined in do 444 do							
6 House breaking as defined in do 445 do							
7 Do by night as defined in do 446 do							
8 Offences under Section 14, Act III of 1880.							
B—Section 4.							
1 False evidence as defined in— Section 193 I P. C. / do 194 do / do 195 do							
2 False charge of unnatural offence as defined in— do 211 do / do 377 do							
3 Assault as defined in do 354 do							
4 Rape as defined in do 375 do							
5 Unnatural offence as defined in do 377 do							
6 Robbery, as defined in do 390 do							
7 Dacoity as defined in do 391 do							
8 Attempt at robbery as defined in do 393 do							
9 Hurt in committing robbery as defined in do 394 do							
10 Receiving stolen property as defined in do 413 do							
11 Forgery as defined in— do 463 do / do 466 do / do 467 do / do 468 do / do 469 do							
12 Lurking house trespass as defined in do 443 do							
13 Do by night as defined in do 444 do							
14 House breaking as defined in do 445 do							
15 Do by night as defined in do 446 do							
Total ..	...	...	..	...	1	...	1

PART III.

Statement showing Whippings inflicted under Section 5, Act VI, 1864, on Juveniles for offences other than those specified in Parts I and II.

Offence.	Stripes. 5 and under. 1st conviction.	5 and under. Subsequent conviction.	6 to 10. 1st conviction.	6 to 10. Subsequent conviction.	11 to 15. 1st conviction.	11 to 15. Subsequent conviction.	16 to 20. 1st conviction.	16 to 20. Subsequent conviction.	21 to 25. 1st conviction.	21 to 25. Subsequent conviction.	26 to 30. 1st conviction.	26 to 30. Subsequent conviction.	Total.
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14
Section 193 I. P. C.													
do 249 do													
do 323 do													
do 324 do													
do 325 do													
do 352 do													
do 354 do and													
do 5 Act VI of 1864													
do 376 I. P. C.													
do 377 do													
do 379 &c. I. P. C.													
do 471 I. P. C.													
do 431 do													
do 448 do													
do 451 do													
Sections 456 & 511 I. P. C.													
Railway Act IV of 1879													
Total													

PART IV.

Statement showing relative number of times Whipping was awarded, as compared with other Punishments.

Punishments.	Number.	Remarks.
1	2	3
Total number of whippings awarded	8	
Total number of other punishments	994	
Percentage of whipping	·79	

II. B. JUDICIAL.—CRIMINAL.

6. *Statement showing the Result of Appeal and Revision in Criminal Cases in the Province of Coorg in the year* 1885.

Tribunals.	Number of Persons.											Average number of days during which each appeal lasted.	Remarks.
	Total number of appellants and applicants for revision before the Courts.	Died, escaped, transferred to another Province.	Appeals or applications rejected.	Sentence or order confirmed	Sentence enhanced.	Sentence reduced or otherwise altered.	Sentence reversed.	Proceedings quashed.	New trial or further enquiry ordered.	Referred for revision to the High Court.	Pending trial.		
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14
APPEALS.													
To Divisional Magistrates													
„ Chief Magistrate of District	102	...	...	43		8	35	...	5	12	2	10	
„ Court of Sessions	14	...	2	7	...	2	3	.	..	...	..	7	
„ Judicial Commissioner's Court. { By persons convicted	18	...	2	11	..	5	..	..	...	...	.	52·25	
{ By Government from judgment of acquittal													
Total	134	.	4	61	...	15	38	..	5	12	2	15·2	
REVISION.													
By Chief Magistrate of District													
„ Court of Sessions													
„ Judicial Commissioner's Court	16	...	...	6	...	..	...	7	3	...	..	27·11	
Total.....	16	..	...	6	...	..	..	7	3	..	...	27·11	
Grand Total	150	...	4	67	..	15	38	7	8	12	2	16·28	

7. *Statement showing the Number and Description of Civil Suits instituted in the Civil Courts in the Province of Coorg in the year* 1885.

Class of Tribunals.	Suits for money or movable property.										Suits under the Rent Law.								Title and other Suits.													Grand Total.	Remarks.
	Contract in writing.	Contract not in writing.	On account stated.	Money lent and received.	Goods sold.	Wages, work and materials.	Rent not falling under the Rent Law.	Movable property or value thereof.	Damages.	Other suits for money or movables not already mentioned.	Arrears of rent with or without ejectment or cancelment of lease.	Enhancement or abatement of rent.	Relating to distraint.	Damages for extortion or withholding receipts, or on account of illegal distraint or other cause.	For pattahs or kabuliyats.	For ejectment or recovery of possession.	For recovery of money or accounts from agents.	All other suits under the Rent Law not included above.	Suits for immovable property	Suits for declaratory decree.	Other suits under the Specific Relief Act.	Suits to declare and establish rights to real property including pre-emption, foreclosure, &c.	Suits to declare and establish personal rights.	Suits for an account.	Suits relating to religious endowments.	Suits to set aside judgments, contracts or obligations on the ground of fraud.	Suits for dissolution of marriage.	Suits for enforcement of matrimonial rights.	Suits for partition.	Suits relating to slipping.	Suits relating to religion and caste.	Administration suits.	Interpleader suits.	Dissolution of partnership.	Suits under section 261, Act X of 1865 (also Hindu Wills Act.)	Other suits not falling under any of the previous heads.		
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15	16	17	18	19	20	21	22	23	24	25	26	27	28	29	30	31	32	33	34	35	36	37	38	39
Parputtegars' Courts ...	132	2	43	66	..	5	5	37	7	...	..	..	...	...	..	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	5	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	297	
Subedars' Courts	830	18	89	118	5	7	18	103	28	..	..	..	..	..	..	...	...	...	40	...	...	...	7	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	3	1,272	
Munsiffs' Courts	589	21	190	44	5	10	3	27	10	...	...	..	..	..	..	...	...	...	22	.	.	.	7	...	...	2	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2	933	
1st Asst Commissioner's Court.	24	..	2	..	...	1	...	...	...	...	.	..	..	...	..	...	...	...	1	...	.	...	...	..	..	..	..	..	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	3	31	
2nd Assistant Commissioner's Court.	79	1	3	...	...	..	..	3	1	...		...	...	...	...	..	...	...	6	...	..	...	1	..	.	...	..	.	...	...	...	...	...	..	2	96	
District Judge's Court ...	5	...	5	...	...	..	..	...	...	...	.	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	..	...	.	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	10	
Judicial Commissioner's Court.	...	...	..	...	...	..	...	...	..	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	..	...	.	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	
Total...	1,659	42	332	228	10	23	26	170	46	..	.	...	..	...	...	...	...	..	69	..	..	..	15	...	..	2	1	5	...	...	1	...	...	...	10	2,639	

8. *Statement showing the Number and Value of Suits instituted in the Civil Courts in the Province of Coorg in the year* 1885.

Value of Suits.	Number of Suits instituted in the different Courts.									Total Value of Suits.			Remarks.
	Not exceeding Rs. 10.	Ditto Rs. 50.	Ditto Rs. 100.	Ditto Rs 500.	Ditto Rs 1,000.	Ditto Rs 5,000.	Ditto Rs. 10,000.	Exceeding Rs. 10,000.	Number of Suits, the value of which cannot be estimated in money.				
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11			12
CIVIL COURTS.													
Parpattegars' Courts... ...	77	220	.	...	...	...	...	...	...	6,536	9	8	
Subedars' Courts	134	593	355	177	...	...	...	...	13	71,792	10	4	
Munsiffs' Courts	103	300	133	387	...	...	...	...	10	98,005	10	11	
1st Assistant Commissioner's Court	...	...	...	...	2	29	...	...	..	47,292	6	2	
2nd Assistant Commissioner's Court	...	...	...	23	54	19	...	...	...	84,691	5	9	
District Judge's Court ...	...	...	...	...	...	3	2	5	...	21,42,946	3	9	
Judicial Commissioner's Court ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	
Total	314	1,113	488	587	56	51	2	5	23	24,51,264	14	7	

II. B. JUDICIAL.—Civil.

9. *Statement showing the General Result of the Trial of Civil Cases in the Courts of Original Jurisdiction in the Province of Coorg in the year* 1885.

PART I.—Civil Suits.

Class of Courts.	Total Number of Suits before the Courts.	Number of Suits disposed of.										Pending at the close of the year.	Number of cases pending more than three months at the close of the year.	Average duration of Suits.		Remarks.
		Transferred to Courts in other Provinces.	Without trial.	Without contest.				On reference to arbitration.		With contest.						
				Compromised.	Decreed on confession.	Decreed ex-parte.	Dismissed ex-parte.	For Plaintiff.	For Defendant.	Judgment for Plaintiff in whole or in part	Judgment for Defendant.			Contested.	Uncontested.	
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15	16	17
CIVIL COURTS.																
Parpattegars' Courts	293	...	63	4	105	53	...	..	..	39	8	23	...	30	18	
Subedars' Courts	1,302	..	198	39	879	332	5	..	...	202	95	52	1	49	32	
Munsiffs' Courts	1,069	...	115	34	251	318	5	1	..	147	50	148	22	73	33	
1st Assistant Commissioner's Court	33	...	3	..	4	6	...	...	..	12	..	8	1	55	37	
2nd Assistant Commissioner's Court	93	.	11	5	32	17	..			21	2	5	1	56	34	
District Judge's Court	13	...	2	1	2	1	..	...	1	1	2	3	1	279	65	
Judicial Commissioner's Court	.	...			...	...	.	...		.				...	..	
Total... ..	2,803	...	392	83	771	727	10	1	1	422	157	239	26	53	31	

PART II.—Miscellaneous Cases.—*Judicial.*

Class of Courts.	Total Number of cases before the Courts.	Number of cases disposed of.										Pending at the close of the year.	Number of cases pending more than three months at the close of the year.	Average duration of Cases.		Remarks.
		Transferred to Courts in other Provinces.	Without trial.	Without contest.				On reference to arbitration		With contest.						
				Compromised.	Decreed on confession.	Decreed ex-parte.	Dismissed ex-parte.	For Plaintiff.	For Defendant.	Judgment for Plaintiff in whole or in part.	Judgment for Defendant.			Contested.	Uncontested.	
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15	16	17
CIVIL COURTS.																
Parpattegars' Courts	15	..	5		1	4	...	...	...	5	...	...	...	12		
Subedars' Courts	206	...	29	1	15	11	1	...	..	98	48	3	...	12		
Munsiffs' Courts	254	...	59	10	10	82	...	...	...	50	31	12	..	8		
1st Assistant Commissioner's Court	27	...	13	...	1	1	...	...	...	10	1	1	...	19		
2nd Assistant Commissioner's Court	97	...	17	6	7	16	6	...	...	29	9	7	...	22		
District Judge's Court	81	...	18	...	...	48	...	...	...	4	7	4	...	30		
Judicial Commissioner's Court	...	...	..	...	...	..	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...		
Total.....	680	...	141	17	34	162	7	...	...	196	96	27	...	14		

II. B. JUDICIAL.—CIVIL.

10. *Statement showing the Business of the Civil Appellate Courts of the Province of Coorg in the year* 1885

PART I—APPEALS FROM DECREES.

Class of Courts.	Total number of Appeals before Courts.	Transferred to Courts in other Provinces.	Decisions confirmed, Section 561 C. P. C.	Dismissed for default or otherwise not prosecuted.	Heard ex-parte.				Contested.				Pending.	Of these pending more than three months.	Average duration of Appeals.	Objections under Section 561, Act XIV of 1882.	Remarks.
					Confirmed.	Modified.	Reversed.	Remanded.	Confirmed.	Modified.	Reversed.	Remanded.					
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15	16	17	18
APPEALS FROM ORIGINAL DECREES. *Civil Courts.*																	
1st Assistant Commissioner's Court	58	...	1	8	1	...	1	1	32	13	1	2	8	...	24	...	
2nd Assistant Commissioner's Court	45	.	...	.	.	...	...		20	5	16	4	...	...	35	...	
District Judge's Court	29	...	2	1	1	...	..	.	12	5	3	2	3	...	29	...	
Total ...	142	...	3	9	2	..	1	1	64	23	20	8	11	...	29	..	
Judicial Commissioner's Court. { Appeals from Original decrees	4	...	...	...	..	..	.	.	2	.	1		1	...	39·6	...	
{ Appeals from Appellate do	31		1	...	7	...	1	...	9	.	2	1	10	...	95·14	...	
Total	35	...	1	...	7	.	1	...	11	.	3	1	11	...	88·20	..	
Grand Total	177	...	4	9	9		2	1	75	23	23	9	22	...	38·16	..	

PART II. MISCELLANEOUS APPEALS—(*Judicial*).

APPEALS FROM ORIGINAL DECREES. *Civil Courts.*																	
1st Assistant Commissioner's Court	5	.	...	1	.	...	.	...	2	2	.	...	...	...	14	..	
2nd Assistant Commissioner's Court	9	...	..	..	...	.	2		.	...	7	..	...	...	9	.	
District Judge's Court	4	...	...	1	.	...	...	..	1	..	2	...	...	...	9	...	
Total... ...	18	...	...	2	..	..	2	...	3	2	9	...	...	...	11	...	
Judicial Commissioner's Court. { Appeals from Original decrees	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	..	...	...	..	...	...	..	...	...	
{ Appeals from Appellate decrees.	..	..	...	...	..	...	...	...	...	...	..	...	...	...	...	...	
Total... ...	..	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	..	...	...	...	...	...	...	
Grand Total.....	18	...	...	2	..	...	2	...	3	2	9	...	...	...	11	...	

11. *Statement showing the Result of Proceedings on Applications for the execution of Decrees of the Civil Courts in the Province of Coorg in the year* 1885.

Class of Courts.	Total number of Applications for the execution of decrees before the Courts.	Applications disposed of— By transfer.	Satisfaction obtained in full.	Satisfaction obtained in part.	Wholly infructuous.	Pending at the end of the year.	Number of Applications pending more than three months at the close of the year.	Amount realized. With the issue of process.	Amount realized. Without the issue of process.	Number of Applications— On which the judgment-debtor was imprisoned.	On which he was arrested, but released without imprisonment.	On which movable property— Was sold.	On which movable property— Was attached, but subsequently released.	On which immovable property— Was sold	On which immovable property— Was dealt with under Sections 305, 322 or 326, Act XIV of 1882.	On which immovable property— Was attached, but subsequently released under Section 275.	On which possession was given— Of movables.	On which possession was given— Of immovables.	On which specific performance was enforced	On which partition was effected.	On which execution was effected otherwise than the preceding columns.	Remarks.
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15	16	17	18	19	20	21	22	23
CIVIL COURTS.																						
Parpattegars' Courts	193		51	12	35	5		1,226 13 8		1	15	7	21		..	..	.	..			..	
Subedars' Courts ...	1,420	..	344	247	753	76		24,615 4 2	245 2 9	13	40	122	282	5	..	6	13	3		.		
Munsiffs' Courts ..	899	.	172	145	446	136	1	18,684 3 11	886 0 0	28	67	76	183	10	..	23	...	1	.	...	.	
1st Assistant Commissioner's Court .	16	...	...	6	3	7	...	1,223 9 6		1	1	5		1	.		...	1	.	..		
2nd Assistant Commissioner's Court	272	...	38	56	134	44	2	28,718 5 4	5,487 7 4	4	.	30	45	4	2	11	...	2			.	
District Judge's Court . .	20	...	5	7	5	3	...	35,768 11 7	..	1	.	4	3	2	..	2	...	..	..	...	..	
Judicial Commissioner's Court ..	.	...	..	...	.	.	..	..		..	...			.	..	..	...	...	.	...	.	
Total ...	2,730	...	610	473	1,576	271	3	1,08,239 8 8	4 618 9 4	47	132	244	534	22	2	42	13	7	...	...	...	

12. *Statement showing the Number and Result of Applications and Proceedings under Chapter XX. Act X of* 1877, *in the Province of Coorg in the year* 1885.

Class of Courts.	Applications for a declaration of insolvency. Total number for hearing	Transferred to another Province, withdrawn, &c.	Granted: A Receiver being appointed.	Granted: A Receiver not being appointed.	Rejected: Final proceedings under Section 359 not being taken.	Rejected: Sentence of imprisonment being passed under Section 359.	Rejected: Applicant being sent to the Magistrate to be dealt with.	Pending at the close of the year.	Number of Insolvents discharged during the year under Section 359	Number of Insolvents' estates in the hands of Receivers in which proceedings were finally closed during the year.	Amount of creditors' claims dealt with during the year: Admitted.	Amount of creditors' claims dealt with during the year: Satisfied.	Gross Amount of insolvents' assets realized and disbursed: Realized during the year.	Gross Amount of insolvents' assets realized and disbursed: Disbursed during the year.	Remarks.
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15	16
1st Assistant Commissioner's Court	4	.	...	2	2	...	.	..	.	..	...	.	...	...	
2nd Assistant Commissioner's Court	1	.	.	.	1	.	..	.	...	...	...	..	...	...	
District Judge's Court	...	..	..	...	.	..	...	...		..		...	...	...	
Total ...	5	..	.	2	3	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	

II. B. JUDICIAL.—CIVIL AND CRIMINAL.

13. *Statement showing use of Juries and Assessors in the Civil and Criminal Courts in the Province of Coorg in the year* 1885.

Classes of Courts in which Jurors or Assessors are employed, distinguishing Criminal from Civil Courts.	Established or average number of Jury Assessors in each case, and prescribed qualifications.	Number of cases tried by Jury.	Number of cases tried with Assessors.	Jury trials.					Assessors Trials.			Remarks.
				Cases in which the Judge approved of the verdict.	Cases in which the Judge did not approve of the verdict.		Number of persons of the several panels in respect to whom the Judge disapproved.		Number of cases in which Judge acted with Assessors.	Number of cases in which Judge differed from.		
					Wholly.	Partially.	Where cases he referred under Sec. 307, C. P. C.	Whose cases he did not refer under Sec. 307, C. P. C.		One Assessors.	Both Assessors.	
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13
I. Civil Courts.												
Chief Courts of District (or officer specially empowered) acting under Act X of 1870 ... Assessors.												
II. Criminal Courts.												
Magistrates' Courts under Chapter X C. P. C. ... Assessors												
Court of Sessions ... ... Assessors ...	3	...	21	...	...	...	...	...	17	...	4	
Judicial Commissioner's Court, Criminal Jurisdiction Assessors ...												
Total	3	...	21	...	...	...	...	...	17	...	4	

14. *Statement of Deeds registered in the Registration District of Coorg for the year* 1885—86

| Office. | Registrations affecting immovable property, Book I. | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | Registrations relating to movable property, Book IV. | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |

II. C. PRISONS.

General Summary.

Statement showing the Distribution of the Prisoners of all Classes confined in the Jails and subsidiary Jails of Coorg during the year 1885.

1	2	3	4			5			6			7			8			9			10		
Station	Place of confinement.	Classes of prisoners.	Remained at the commencement of the year.			Received during the year.			Total.			Discharged from all causes.			Remaining at end of the year.			Daily average Number of each class.			Total daily average of whole Jail.		
			M.	F.	Total.	M.	F.	Total.	M.	F.	Total.	M.	F.	Total.	M.	F	Total.	M.	F.	Total.	M.	F.	Total.
Mercara ...	Divisional Jail.	Convicts	79	4	83	210	21	231	289	25	314	269	20	226	83	5	88	75·70	5·32	81·02	88·97	6·01	94·98
		Under-trial ...	14	...	14	285	32	317	299	32	331	288	32	320	11	..	11	10·03	·56	10·59			
		Civil ...	2	...	2	45	3	48	47	3	50	44	3	47	3	...	3	3·24	·13	3·37			
		Total ..	95	4	99	540	56	596	635	60	695	538	55	593	97	5	102	...	...	...			
	Taluk Lock-ups.	Convicts ...	3	..	3	46	5	51	49	5	54	49	5	54	...	...	...	·61	·09	·70	9·59	1·04	10·63
		Under-trial	4	1	5	499	55	554	503	56	559	500	56	556	3	..	3	8·90	·95	9·85			
		Police ...	..		...	9	...	9	9		9	9	.	9	..	...	...	·08	.	·08			
		Total	7	1	8	554	60	614	561	61	622	558	61	619	3	...	3	...	..	..			
		Grand Total	102	5	107	1094	116	1210	1196	121	1317	1096	116	1,212	100	5	105	...	...	...	98·56	7·05	105·61

JUDICIAL.—(for convicts only).

1. *Statement showing the number and Disposal of the Convicts in the Jails and Subsidiary Jails of Coorg during the year* 1885.

Serial Number.	Jails.	3 Remained at the beginning of the previous year.		4 Imprisoned during the year.		5 Total.			6 Received from other Jails. A. On simple sentence.		6 Received from other Jails. B. In execution of sentence of transportation or other punishment.		7 Grand Total.			8 Transferred to other Jails. A. On simple sentence.		8 Transferred to other Jails. B. For transportation beyond seas, &c.		9 Released during the year. A. On appeal.		9 Released during the year. B. On expiry of sentence.		9 Released during the year. C. Under remission Rules.		9 Released during the year. D. By order of Government. a. On account of sickness.		9 Released during the year. D. By order of Government. b. On other grounds.		10 Transferred to Lunatic Asylum.		11 Escaped.		12 Executed.		13 Died.		14 Remaining at the end of present year.		15 Daily average number.			16
		M	F	M	F	M	F		M	F	M	F	M	F	Total	M	F	M	F	M	F	M	F	M	F	M	F	M	F	M	F	M	F	M	F	M	F	M	F	M	F	M	F	M	F	Total.
3	Mercara ...	79	4	131	16	210	20	79	5	...	...	289	25	314	..	..	...	..	12	1	175	17	8	2	..	..	..	...	..	..	..	..	..	..	4	..	7	...	83	5	75·70	5·32	81·02
	Total .	79	4	131	16	210	20	79	5	...	...	289	25	314	...	..	...	..	12	1	175	17	8	2	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	4	..	7	...	83	5	75·70	5·32	81·02
	Add for Subsidiary Jails ...	3	..	46	5	49	5	...	...	..	..	49	5	54	..	..	...	..	3	..	46	5	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	·61	·09	·70
	Grand Total	82	4	177	12	259	25	79	5	..	..	338	30	368	..	..	...	..	15	1	221	22	8	2	...	...	...	...	..	..	...	...	..	..	4	...	7	..	93	5	76·31	5·41	81·72

2. *Statement showing the Religion, Age and Previous Occupation of the Convicts admitted into the Jail and Subsidiary Jails of Coorg during the year* 1885.

Serial Number.	Jails.	3 Religion. A. Christians. a. Europeans.		b. Eurasians.		c. Natives.		B. Mohammedans.		C. Hindus and Sikhs.		D. Buddhists and Jains.		E. All other classes.		4 Age. A. Under 16.		B. 16 to 40.		C. 40 to 60.		D. Above 60.		5 Previous occupation. Males. A. Persons employed under Government or Municipal or other local authorities.	B. Professional persons.	C. Persons in service or performing personal offices.	D. Persons engaged in agriculture and with animals.	E. Persons engaged in commerce and trade.	F. Persons employed in mechanical arts, manufactures, and engineering operations, &c. &c.	G. Miscellaneous Persons not classed otherwise.	Females. H. Married.	I. Unmarried.	J. Widows.	K. Prostitutes.	6 Total.		
		M	F	M	F	M	F	M	F	M	F	M	F	M	F	M	F	M	F	M	F	M	F															M	F	Total
3	Mercara ...	...	...	...	...	10	..	23	3	143	15	...	1	134	2	3	..	186	18	20	3	1	.	2	..	...	59	16	.	133	11	...	9	1	210	21	231
	Total...	...	...	...	...	10	..	23	3	143	15	...	1	134	2	3	.	186	18	20	3	1	...	2	.	.	59	16	...	133	11	.	9	1	210	21	231
	Add for Subsidiary Jails ...	..	..	..	..	..	..	8	1	41	4	..	..	...	...	...	...	45	5	3	...	..		..	..	...	18	9	...	22	5	...	..	..	49	5	54
	Grand Total .	...	...	...	..	10	..	31	4	184	19	...	1	134	2	3	.	232	23	23	3	1	...	2	.	...	77	25	...	155	16	...	9	1	259	26	285

* Dhevar ... 4
Boyee ... 4
Thoolugar ... 3
Sheeyar ... 6
Yerwar ... 9
Pale ... 5
Shookaliga ... 1
Nayer ... 3
Total .. 34

II C PRISONS.—JUDICIAL.

3. *Statement showing the Convicts admitted into the Jails and Subsidiary Jails of Coorg during the year 1885, and those remaining on the 31st December of that year according to the nature and length of sentences.*

Serial Number	Jail.	Number according to length of sentence.																										5 Total.		
			A		B		C		D		E		F		G		H		I				J							
			Not exceeding one month.		Above one and not exceeding three months.		Above three and not exceeding six months.		Above six and not exceeding one year.		Above one year and not exceeding two years.		Above two and not exceeding three years.		Above three and not exceeding five years.		Exceeding 10 years.		Sentenced to transportation beyond seas.				Sentenced to death							
																			A For life		B For a term									
			M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.	Total.
1	Mercara	A	8	5	9	3	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	..	...	...	..	..	19	9	28			
		B	103	4	45	5	12	1	6	2	12	...	10	..	2	..	...	...	1	...	...	...	4	...	190	12	202			
		C	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...			
		D	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	1			
	Total of admissions		111	9	54	8	14	2	6	2	3	...	15	...	2	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	4	...	210	21	231			
	Total remaining on the 31st Dec.		19	1	9	..	4	1	4	2	5	...	22	1	13	...	...	...	7	...	...	...	...	...	83	5	88			
2	Taluk Lock-ups	C	49	5	..								...		...		...	...	...		...		...		49	5	54			
	Total of Admissions		...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...			
	Total remaining on the 31st Dec.		49	5	..								...		...		...	...	...		...		..		49	5	54			
	Grand Total (of admissions of remaining on 31st December)		179	15	63	8	18		10	4	8		37	1	15	...	...	...	8	..	...	...	4	...	342	31	373			

4. *Statement showing the Convicts admitted into the Jails and Subsidiary Jails of Coorg during the year 1885, who had been previously convicted*

Serial Number.	Jails.	Number admitted during the year.			Number previously convicted.								Ratio per cent of column 4 D to column 3.			Juvenile prisoners under 16 year of age (Section 399 of the Criminal Procedure Code).					
					A Once		B Twice.		C More than twice.		D Total					A Number admitted during the year			B Number previously convicted.		
		M.	F.	Total.	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.	Total	M.	F.	Total.	M.	F.	Total.	M.	F.	Total.
2	Mercara ...	210	21	231	15	...	...	...	3	...	18	...	18	8·57	...	7·79	2	...	2	...	...	...
3	Taluk Lock-ups.	49	5	54	2	...	...	...	...	...	2	2	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	Total.	259	26	285	17	...	...	...	3	..	20	20	8·57	...	...	7·79	2	...	2	...	...	...

5. *Statement showing the escapes and re-captures of Convicts in the Jails and Subsidiary Jails of Coorg during the year 1885.*

Serial Number.	Jails.	Remaining unexpired on the 31st December 1884 of those who escaped during the previous ten years.	4 Escaped during the year.			5 Re-captured during the year.			6 Remained uncaptured.			7 Unexpired portion of sentence of those who escaped during the year.		
			A	B	C	A	B	C	A	B	C	A	B	C
			From inside the Jail.	From outside the Jail.	Total.	Of those who escaped in previous ten years.	Of those who escaped during the year.	Total.	Of previous years.	Of the year.	Total.	Under one year.	Above one and under seven years.	Above seven years.
1	Mercara	13	...	...	...	...	...	...	13	...	13	...	...	...
2	Taluk Lock-ups ..	1	..	.	..	...	...	...	1	...	1	...	..	...
	Total.....	14	..	...	...	...	...	...	14	...	14	..	.	...

IIIC PRISONS.—JUDICIAL.

6. *Statement showing the Offences committed by the Convicts, and the punishments inflicted on them, in the Jails and Subsidiary Jails of Coorg during the year* 1885.

1	2	3		4		5						6														7	8
Serial Number	Jails.	Average number of Convicts.		Criminal offences.		Breaches of Jail Rules						Punishments inflicted.														Ratio of column 6c to column 3.	Ratio of column 6d to the total number of other jail punishments inflicted on male prisoners.
						Smoking or having possession of forbidden articles.		Offences relating to work.		Other offences against prison discipline.		A		B								C				
												By Criminal Courts.		By Jail officers.													
														A		B		C		D		E		Total punishments.			
														Solitary confinement.		Reduced diet.		Solitary confinement with reduced diet.		Corporal punishment.		Other punishments.					
		M.	F.	M	F	M	F	M	F	M	F	M	F	M	F	M	F	M	F			M	F				
2	Mercara ..	75·70	5·32	1	..	20	1	15	3	22	2	1	..	5	.	8	2	9	...	8		*27	4	64		78·99	16·32
3	Taluk Lock-ups ..	·61	·09	..	..	..	..	...	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	...	..	.	...	...		.	..	..		..	..
	Total	76·31	5·41	1	..	20	1	15	3	22	2	1	..	5	.	8	2	9	...	8		27	4	64		78·99	16·32

	M.—F.
*Warned . .	19 2
Hard Labor ..	.. 1 0
Forfeiture of Good marks	. 6 2
Fetters replaced	1 0
Total ..	27 4

7. *Statement showing the State of Education of the Convicts imprisoned in and released from the Jails and Subsidiary Jails of Coorg for the year* 1885.

1	2	3		4				5		6		7		8						9					
Serial Number.	Jails	Number imprisoned during the year.		Of those in column 3 there were—				Daily average number of Convicts.		Daily average number under instruction.		Number released during the year who had been under instruction in Jail		Of these in column 7 there were when they entered Jail—						Of those in column 7 there were when they left Jail.—					
				Unable to read or write.		Able to read or write a little.								Unable to read and write.		Able to read and write a little.		Able to read and write well.		Unable to read and write.		Able to read and write a little.		Able to read and write well.	
		M	F	M	F	M	F	M	F	M	F	M	F	M	F	M	F	M	F	M	F	M	F	M	F
2	Mercara.	210	21	140	21	47	..	23	..	75·70	5·32	70·75	.	195	..	143	...	33	...	19	...	26	...	112	.	57	..
3	Taluk Lock-ups.	49	5	43	5	6	...	...	..	·61	·09	...	.	...	...	...	...	...	...		...	...	...	...	..	...	...
	Total	259	26	183	26	53	.	23	.	76·31	5·41	70·75	...	195	...	143	...	33	...	19	...	26	.	112	..	57	..

8. *Statement showing the Employment of Convicts as Prison Officers in the Jails and Subsidiary Jails of Coorg during* 1885.

1	2	3		4		5		6		7		8
Serial Number.	Jails.	Average number of Convicts		Average number employed as Prison Officers.		Ratio per cent of column 4 to column 3		Total number employed as Prison officers.		Number of reductions or other punishments.		Remarks.
		M	F	M	F	M	F	M	F	M	F	
2	Mercara	75·70	5·32	6·89	1·09	9 10	20·48	8	1	9	2	
3	Taluk Lock-ups ...	·61	·09	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	
	Total.....	76·31	5·41	6·89	1·09	9 10	20·48	8	1	9	2	

II. C. PRISONS.—JUDICIAL.

9. *Statement showing the scales of Diet in force in the Jails of Coorg during the year* 1885.

1	2	3	4
Diet scales of laboring prisoners.	Diet scale of non-labouring prisoners.	Punishment diet scale.	Note of any change effected in diet scales during the year.
Mercara Divisional Jail	The scale of diet in force in the Mercara Jail is in accordance with Resolution D, dated 2nd December 1878, and similar to that laid down in the Mysore Jail Manual, and was brought into effect on 1st March 1879.		
Taluk Lock ups ...	East Indian convicts at 6 annas per diem, and Natives at 2 lbs rice and three pies a day.		

FINANCIAL.

10. *Statement showing the expenditure in guarding and maintaining the prisoners in the Jails and Subsidiary Jails of Coorg during the year* 1885, *excluding the cost of building new Jails, of additions, Alterations or repairs.*

1	2	3			4		5		6		7			8		9		10	11	12
Serial Number.	Jails.	Average number of prisoners.			Rations.		Establishment		Police Guard		Hospital Charges.			Clothing.		Contingencies		Grand Total expended.	Total Cost per head of average strength.	Serial Number.
		Convicts.	Under-trial.	Total.	A	B	A	B	A	B	A	B	C	A	B	A	B			
					Total Cost. Cost per head of average strength ex living Civil Prisoners.		Total Cost.	Cost per head of average strength.	Total Cost.	Cost per head of average strength.	Total Cost.	Cost per head of average strength.	Cost per head of average number sick.	Total Cost.	Cost per head of average strength.	Total Cost.	Cost per head of average strength.			
					Rs.	Rs. As. P.	Rs.	Rs. As. P.	Rs.	Rs. As. P.	Rs.	Rs. As. P.	Rs. As. P.	Rs.	Rs. As. P.	Rs.	Rs. As. P.	Rs.	Rs. As. P.	
3	Mercara Jail...	81·02	10·29	8·37	41 8 10		12 9 4		18 10 10		0 6 0			6 1 9		9 1 4		9,406-15-0	99 0 6	3
		71·64	9·24	80·88	2,430-0-0		1,774-2-0		36-4-8					495-5-4		693-11-6				
5	Taluk Lock-ups ...	·76	·25	·98	41 5 8		...		...		...			...		1 15 10		460-130	43 5 7	5
		·68	·25	16·63												213-0				
		439-13-0																		
	Total	81·72	10·44	9·35	40 13 5		12 9 0		16 12 9		0 5 5			4 11 0		8 6 0		9,867-12-0	43 6 11	
		72·32	9·49	105·51	2,430-0-0		1,774-2-0		36-4-8					495-5-4		884-14-6				
		4,347-13-8																		

11. *Statement showing the Expenditure in guarding and maintaining the prisoners in the Jails of Coorg during the year* 1885, (*excluding cost of building new Jails, of additions alterations, or repairs*) *compared with the expenditure on the same account in each of the three preceding years.*

1	2	3				4				5				6				7				8				9
Serial Number.	Jails	Cost of rations per head of average strength.				Cost of establishment and police guard per head of average strength.				Cost of all hospital charges per head of average strength.				Cost of clothing per head of average strength.				Cost of contingencies per head of average strength.				Total cost per head of average strength.				Serial Number.
		1882.	1883.	1884.	1885.	1882.	1883.	1884.	1885.	1882.	1883.	1884.	1885.	1882.	1883.	1884.	1885.	1882.	1883.	1884.	1885.	1882.	1883.	1884.	1885.	
		Rs. A.	Rs. A.	Rs. A.	Rs. A.	Rs. A.	Rs. A.	Rs. A.	Rs. A.	Rs. A.	Rs. A.	Rs. A.	Rs. A.	Rs. A.	Rs. A.	Rs. A.	Rs. A.	Rs. A.	Rs. A.	Rs. A.	Rs. A.	Rs. A.	Rs. A.	Rs. A.	Rs. A.	
1	Mercara	54 15	52 3	52 2	41 8	42 5	37 14	47 12	44 4	2 4	3 4	4 9	0 6	5 15	4 6	5 11	6 1	8 4	8 8	10 2	9 1	111 10	103 10	117 5	99 0	
	Taluk Lock-ups ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	
	Total ...	54 15	52 3	52 2	41 8	42 5	37 14	47 12	44 4	2 4	3 4	4 9	0 6	5 15	4 6	5 11	6 1	8 4	8 8	10 2	9 1	111 10	103 10	117 5	99 0	

II. C. PRISONS—FINANCIAL.

12. *Statement showing the Employment of Convicts in the Jails and Subsidiary Jails of Coorg during the year* 1885.

1	2	3	4	5	6	7												8	9		
Serial Number.	Name of Jail.	Average number not sentenced to labour.	Average number under sentence of labour on working days.	Average number sick.	Average number convalescent and infirm.	Average number employed on working days.												Number of prisoners hired out to Municipalities, private individuals or departments other than the P. W. Dept.	Ratio per cent. on Column 4 of those employed on working days as—		
						A.	On prison duties.					On Jail buildings.				K	L				
							B	C	D	E	F	Additions and Alterations.		New Jails.							
						On remunerative labour.	Prison officers.	Prison servants.	Gardening.	Employed in preparing articles for use or consumption in Jails e. g. wheat-grinding, manufacturing of prison clothing, &c.	Jail repairs.	G	H	I	J	Manufactures.	Public Works.		Prison officers.	Prison servants.	On manufactures (7 K)
												Under Superintendent.	Under Public Works Department.	Under Superintendent.	Under Public Works Department.						
2	Mercara ...	4·29	54·18	5·27	...	...	7·98	10·50	2·32	5·01	2·87	...	2·12	...	...	24·55	...	269	14·72	19·37	45·31
3	Taluk Lock-ups	...	·70		...	..	...	...	...	...	...	...	..	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	Total	4·29	54·88	5·27	..	...	7·98	10·50	2·32	5·01	2·87	...	2·12	...	...	24·55	...	269	14·72	19·37	45·31

13. *Statement showing the net cash earnings of Convicts sentenced to labour in the Jails and Subsidiary Jails of Coorg during the Year* 1885.

1	2	3	4	5			6			7			8			9			10			11			12			13			14
Serial Number.	Name of Jail.	Average number sentenced to labour	Average number employed on Jail Manufactures.	Cash balance on manufacturing account in hand on the 1st January 1885.			Cash drawn on manufacturing account during year.			Total.			Paid into Treasury on manufacturing account.			Cash balance in hand on manufacturing account on the 31st December 1884.			Total.			Cash earnings (being total of column 10 less total of column 7).			Average earning per head calculated on column 3.			Average earning per head calculated on column 4.			Remarks.
				Rs.	A.	P.	Rs.	A.	P.	Rs.	A.	P.	Rs.	A.	P.	Rs.	A.	P.	Rs.	A.	P.	Rs.	A.	P.	Rs.	A.	P.	Rs.	A.	P.	
2	Mercara ...	54·18	24·55	...		.	5,554	10	0	5,554	10	0	9,170	14	0	...	...	..	9,170	14	0	3,616	3	0	66	11	0	147	4	7	
3	Taluk Lock-ups	·70	.	...	...	...	..	..	.	...	...	..	...	...	..	...	...	..	..	.	.	..	.	.	...	...	...	...	...	.	
	Total	54·88	24·55	..	..	.	5,554	10	0	5,554	10	0	9,170	14	0	...	..	..	9,170	14	0	3,616	3	0	66	11	0	147	4	7	

14. *Statement showing the net cost of the Prisoners in the Jails and Subsidiary Jails of Coorg during the year* 1885.

1	2	3		4		5		6		7		8		9
Serial Number.	Name of Jail.	Total cost of maintenance (column 10, Statement X).		Average cost of maintenance per head (column 11, statement X).		Total cash earnings (column 11 of Statement XIII).		Average cash earnings per head of average strength.		Net cost to Government (column 3 minus column 5)		Average net cost per head of average strength (column 4 minus column 6).		Remarks.
		Rs	A.	Rs.	A	Rs.	A.	Rs.	A.	Rs.	A.	Rs.	A.	
2	Mercara	9,406	15	99	0	3,616	3	38	1	5,790	11	60	15	
3	Taluk Lock-ups	460	13	43	5	...	...	...	...	460	13	43	5	
	Total ..	9,867	12	142	5	3,616	3	38	1	6,251	8	104	4	

II. C. PRISONS.—VITAL.

15. *Statement showing the Sickness and Mortality among Prisoners of all Classes in the Jails and Subsidiary Jails of Coorg during the year 1885.*

1	2	3			4			5			6			7			8			9			10			11			12														
Serial Number	Jails.	Number of persons that can be accommodated in the parts of the Jails devoted to convicts, under-trial and Civil prisoners respectively			Average daily strength.			Maximum population on any one day.			Number admitted into Hospital.			Daily average number of sick.			Number of deaths in and out of Hospital.			Deaths from fevers.			Deaths from bowel complaints.			Deaths from cholera.			Ratio per Mille of average strength. A. Of admissions into Hospital			B. Of daily average sick			C. Of deaths from cholera			D. Of deaths from all other causes			E. Of deaths from all causes between Hospital		
		M	F	Total	M	F	Total	M	F	Total	M	F	Total	M	F	Total	M	F	Total	M	F	Total	M	F	Total	M	F	Total	M	F	Total	M	F	Total	M	F	Total	M	F	Total	M	F	Total
1	Mercara. Convicts	76	6	82	75·70	5·32	81·02	85	4	89	146	14	160	4·27	·77	5·04	7		7	1		1	4		4				1[illegible]	2[illegible]1·57	1974·82	[illegible]6·40	144·73	62·20	..	.	92·47		86·39	92·47		86·39
	Under-trials	25	.	25	10·03	·56	10·59	28	1	29	9		9	·21	..	·21	2		2	..		..	..						[illegible]7·3		848·50	[illegible]0·93		19·82			199·40	.	188·85	199·40		188·83
	Civil	4	.	4	3·24	·13	3·37	6	1	7	2	.	2	·02	.	·02	...		..			.	..						617·28	..	593·47	6·17	...	5·93	.		.	.		.	..	..
	Total...	105	6	111	88·97	6·01	94·98	119	6	125	157	14	171	4·50	·77	5·27	9		9	1	..	1	4		4	...			17[illegible]·42	2329·45	1800·37	[illegible]0·57	128·11	55·48	.	..	..	101·15		94·75	101·15	..	94·75
	Taluk Lock-ups...	..	..	...	..	..	...	..	..	...	.	..	...	..	..		Nil				.				..		..	.		.	.	..	.	...	..	..	...			...	...	..

16. *Statement showing the admissions and deaths from the chief diseases among the Convicts in the Jails and Subsidiary Jails of Coorg during the year 1885.*

1	2	3																								4															
Serial Number	Jails.	A. Small-pox.		B. Intermittent Fever.		C. Remittent and Continued Fever		D. Other Fevers.		E. Cholera.		F. Scrofula and Phthisis Pulmonalis.		G. Anemia and General Debility		H. Respiratory Diseases.		I. Dysentery and Diarrhœa.		J. Jaundice.		K. Ulcers and Boils.		Ratio of Admissions and Deaths per mille of average strength from— Intermittent Fever.		Remittent and Continued Fever		Cholera.		Dysentery and Diarrhœa	
		A	D	A	D	A	D	A	D	A	D	A	D	A	D	A	D	A	D	A	D	A	D	A	D	A	D	A	D	A	D	A	D
2	Mercara	...	...	42	1	.	...	..	...	.	..	...	...	1	1	1	.	43	4	1	..	2	...	518·51	12·34	...	...	...	..	530·86	49·37
3	Taluk Lock-ups													Nil																			
	Total.....	...	..	42	1	...	...	...		...	...	.	.	1	1	1	...	43	4	1	..	2	..	518·51	12·34	..	...	...	..	530·86	49·37

II. C. PRISONS.—VITAL.

17. *Statement showing the Mortality, according to age, among the convicts in the Jails and Subsidiary Jails of Coorg during the year* 1885.

Serial Number.	Jails.	Under 16 years.						16 to 40.						40 to 60.						Over 60.						Total.					
		Average Number.		Deaths.		Ratio of deaths per Mille of average number.		Average number		Deaths.		Ratio of deaths per Mille of average number.		Average number.		Deaths.		Ratio of deaths per Mille of average number.		Average number.		Deaths.		Ratio of deaths per Mille of average number.		Average number.		Deaths.		Ratio of deaths per Mille of average number.	
		M	F	M	F	M	F	M	F	M	F	M	F	M	F	M	F	M	F	M	F	M	F	M	F	M	F	M	F	M	F
1	Mercara.	1·98	...	...	...	...	...	59·97	4·21	6	...	100·05	...	12·81	1·11	...	...	...	...	·91	...	1	...	1098·90	...	75·70	5·32	7	...	92·47	...
	Taluk Lock-ups.	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Nil.	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	Total...	1·98	...	...	...	...	...	59·97	4·21	6	...	100·05	...	12·84	1·11	...	...	...	...	·91	...	1	...	1098·90	...	75·70	5·32	7	...	92·47	...

18. *Statement showing the Mortality among the Convicts in the Jails and Subsidiary Jails of Coorg during the year* 1885, *according the length of time passed in Jail.*

Serial Number.	Jails	Under 6 months in Jail.			From 6 to 12 months.			From 1 to 2 years.			From 2 to 3 years.			From 3 to 7 years.			Above 7 years.		
		Average number	Deaths.	Ratio of deaths per mile of average number.	Average number.	Deaths.	Ratio of deaths per mile of average number.	Average number.	Deaths.	Ratio of deaths per mille of average number.	Average number.	Deaths.	Ratio of deaths per mile of average number.	Average number.	Deaths.	Ratio of deaths per mille of average number.	Average number	Deaths.	Ratio of deaths per mile of average number.
2	Mercara	25·21	4	158·66	13·09	3	229·17	14·18	...	.	11·26	...	...	8·07	...	...	9·21	...	..
3	Taluk Lock-ups									Nil									
	Total ...	25·21	4	158·66	13·09	3	229·17	14·18	...	...	11·26	...	..	8·07	...	..	9·21	...	...

19. *Statement showing particulars regarding prisoners under trial in the Jails and Subsidiary Jails of Coorg during the year* 1885.

Serial Number.	Jails.	Number remaining at the close of previous year.		Number received.		Total.			Average daily number.			Released.			Convicted and sentenced.			Transferred.		Escaped.		Died.		Remaining on 31st December 1885.		
		M	F	M	F	M	F	Total.	M	F	Total.	M	F	Total.	M	F	Total.	M	F	M	F	M	F	M	F	Total.
1	Mercara.	14	...	285	32	299	32	331	10·03	·56	10·59	198	24	222	88	8	96	...	...	...	...	2	...	11	...	11
2	Taluk Lock-ups.	4	1	499	55	503	56	559	8·90	·95	9 85	444	47	491	56	9	65	..	...	...	...	...	...	3	...	3
	Total.....	18	1	784	87	802	88	890	18·93	1·51	20·44	642	71	713	144	17	161	...	...	...	...	2	...	14	...	14

II. C. PRISONS.

Statement A showing the nature and amount of accommodation for each class of Prisoners in the Jails of Coorg at the close of the year 1885.

1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15	16	17	18	19	20	21
Serial Number.	Name of Jail.	Description of accomodation.	Number of prisoners who could be accommodated on 31st December 1885, in the part of the Jail devoted to—														Superficial area per prisoner within enclosing wall in square yards.	Spent on Jail buildings during the year.		Remarks.
			Hospital.		Observation cells.		Civil prisoners.		Under-trial.		Europeans.		Juvenile convicts.	Female convicts.	Male convicts.	Grand Total.		By Jail Department.	By Public Works Department.	
			M	F	M	F	M	F	M	F	M	F								
1	Mercara ...	Cells	6	...	3	...	4	...	25	...	2	...	4	6	70	120	6	...	..	..
		Barracks[with separate sleeping accomodation ..																		
		Ditto without																		
		Total																		
		Total average population ...	6	.	3	...	4	...	25	.	2	...	4	6	70	120	6	...	...	...

Statement B showing the condition of the Prisoners discharged from the Jails of Coorg during the year 1885.

1	2	3	4	5					6					7
Serial Number.	Jails.	Number discharged during the year.	Number who had neither lost nor gained weight in Jail	Number who had gained weight.					Number who had lost weight.					Remarks.
				a	b	c	d		a	b	c	d		
				Up to 1 lb	From 1 to 5 lbs.	From 5 to 10 lbs.	Over 10 lbs	Total.	Up to 1 lb.	From 1 to 5 lbs.	From 5 to 10 lbs.	Over 10 lbs.	Total.	
1	Mercara ...	226	65	24	49	14	10	97	18	37	7	2	64	

Statement C Annual return showing the working of the mark system to be submitted by Superintendents of Jails.

1	2											3										4
Names of all convicts released during the year who were granted remission or gratuity for marks earned by industry (with or without special marks.)	Amount of remission in days gained by each Convict entered in column 1 according as he was— Sentenced to—											Amount of gratuity earned by each Convict entered in column 1 according as he was— Sentenced to—										Remarks.
	Two years exactly.	Not exceeding 3 years.	Not exceeding 4 years.	Not exceeding 5 years	Not exceeding 6 years.	Not exceeding 7 years.	Not exceeding 8 years	Not exceeding 9 years.	Not exceeding 10 years.	Exceeding 10 years.		Two years exactly.	Not exceeding 3 years.	Not exceeding 4 years.	Not exceeding 5 years.	Not exceeding 6 years.	Not exceeding 7 years.	Not exceeding 8 years.	Not exceeding 9 years	Not exceeding 10 years	Exceeding 10 years.	
Thayi	54	..	...	...		..		..	..	..		1-6-9		..	.	...	...	...	...	.	.	
Mariyan ...	58	...	...	...	...	...	..	..	...	..		1-8-3	..	...	...	...	...	..	...	..	..	
Naupah	58	.	...	...	...	.	.	..	..	...		1-8-3	...	...	.	.	...	..	..	.	...	
Chickah	58	.	...	...	...	...	...	..	..	...		1-8-3	...	..	..	..	...	..	..	.	...	
Hobli	58	..	...	...	..	...	...	..	..	...		1-8-3	...	...	...	..	...	.	...	..	..	
Yelli	...	...	68	...	..	.	..	...	.	..		.	...	1-12-8	...	..	...	..	...	..	..	
Koonyamboo	...	...	...	...	...	155	..	..	.	..		..	...	...	...	...	3-8-5	...	...	...	...	
Devappah	..	...	..	103	.	...	...	...	...	..		...	...	..	2-11 3	..	..	...	...	.	.	
Belliappah	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	227	..		...	...	...	...	.	...	..	...	5-0-0	..	
Soobramania...	53	...	...	...	..	...	...	..	..	.		1-6-2	..	...	...	..	...	..	...	...	..	
Total.....	6	...	1	1	.	1	..	...	1	..		6	...	1	1	...	1	...	...	1	.	
Number who came under the mark system but failed to gain remission ..	...	...	..	.	...	...	.	..	.	.		...	.	..	...	..	...	..	..	..	...	
Total released who came under the mark system	6	...	1	1	..	1	...	..	1			6	...	1	1	...	1	...	...	1	..	

II C. PRISONS.

(FORM TO BE USED BY INSPECTORS GENERAL)

Statement C showing the working of the Mark System during the year 1885.

1	2	3	4									5										6										7	8	
Serial Number.	Jails.	Number released during the year who came under the mark system for industry, but failed to gain remission.	Number of convicts released during the year who gained remission under the mark system									Maximum remission in days gained by any convict released during the year.										Average remission gained by the convicts entered in column 4.										Maximum gratuity earned by any convict released during the year.	Average gratuity earned by the convicts entered in column 4.	Remarks.
			Sentenced to—									Sentenced to—										Sentenced to—												
			Tow years exactly.	Not exceeding 3 years.	Ditto 4 years.	Ditto 5 years.	Ditto 6 years.	Ditto 7 years.	Ditto 8 years.	Ditto 9 years.	Ditto 10 years.	Exceeding 10 years.	Two years exactly.	Not exceeding 3 years.	Ditto 4 years.	Ditto 5 years.	Ditto 6 years.	Ditto 7 years.	Ditto 8 years.	Ditto 9 years.	Ditto 10 years.	Exceeding 10 years	Two years exactly.	Not exceeding 3 years	Ditto 4 years.	Ditto 5 years.	Ditto 6 years.	Ditto 7 years.	Ditto 8 years.	Ditto 9 years.	Ditto 10 years.	Exceeding 10 years.			
1	Mareara	...	6	...	1	1	...	1	...	...	1	...	58	..	68	103	...	135	...	...	227	.	56	..	68	103	...	135	...	...	227	...	5 0 0	2 3 0	

Statement D. showing the nature of the crimes for which convicts were imprisoned in the Mercara Jail in 1885

1	2																						3
Sections of Penal Code classified.	Convicts admitted to Jail during the year 1885, under sentence not exceeding—																						Total
	A		B		C		D		E		F		G		H		I				J		
																	Sentenced to transportation beyond seas.						
																	A		B				
	One month.		Above one and not exceeding three months.		Above three and not exceeding six months.		Above six months and not exceeding one year		Above one year and not exceeding two years		Above two years and not exceeding five years.		Above five years and not exceeding ten years.		Exceeding ten years.		For life.		For a term		Sentenced to death		
	M.	F.	M	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.	Total.
Giving false information to a Public servant	1																						1		1
Causing disappearance of evidence	1	1	2					1															3	2	5
Delivering false coin	1				1																		2		2
Fraudulent use of false weights	4																						4		4
Giving false evidence			2																				2		2
Concealment of birth						1	1																1	1	2
Fabricating false evidence					1																		1		1
Rioting	4																						4		4
Culpable Homicide											1												1		1
Attempt to commit suicide		1	1	1		1																	1	3	4
Aggravated cases of hurt and doing acts dangerous to human life	14		4																				18		18
Murder																	1				4		5		5
Aggravated Assault	3																						3		3
Enticing away a married woman	1								1														2		2
Rape											1												1		1
Theft including theft in buildings by servants &c	60	4	10	3	4		3		2		3												82	7	89
Mischief and Mischief by fire	2		3								1												6		6
Dacoity											8		2										10		10
Criminal Breach of Trust			5		2						1												8		8
Receiving stolen property	2	1	1	1	1		1																5	2	7
Kidnapping							1																1		1
House breaking and House trespass	8		7		1																		16		16
Forgery for the purpose of Cheating									1														1		1
Cheating			1																				1		1
Insult intended to provoke the peace	5	2																					5	2	7
Misappropriation of property	2																						2		2
Wilful neglect to maintain his wife	1																						1		1
Criminal Intimidation	1																						1		1
Breach of Contract			13																				13		13
Illegal manufacure of spirit	1	1	5	2																			6	3	9
Defamation	1		1	1																			2	1	3
Police Act No. V. of 1861	1																						1		1
Total	113	10	55	8	10	2	6	1	4		15		2				1				4		210	21	231

Statement showing the number of cases in which fetters were imposed on prisoners in the Mercara Jail for the year 1885.

No. of cases in which fetters were imposed or worn	Length or time for which fetters were imposed or worn.											
	Under 1 month.		One to three months.		Three to six months.		Six to 12 months.		Over 12 months.		Total.	
	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.	M.	F.
PART I.												
As a punishment for Offences against discipline	..		...	.	..	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
(1) By order of a Magistrate ..	.	.	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
(2) By order of the Jail Superintendent for smoking or having possession of forbidden articles...	..	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...
PART II.												
For safe custody	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...

H. D.

PART

Return of Cognizable Crime for

Serial Number.	Law under which punishable	DESCRIPTION OF CRIME.	Cases.															
			Reported to the Police, but found on inquiry by the Police to be false, and no case sent up for trial.	Reported to the Police, but found on inquiry by the Police to be false, and nothing all Police action thereafter.	Reported to the Police, but found on inquiry by the Police to be false, and nothing all Police action thereafter.	Reported to the Police, but found on inquiry by the Police to be false, and nothing all Police action thereafter.	Reported to the Police, but found on inquiry by the Police to be false, and nothing all Police action thereafter.	Reported to the Police, but found on inquiry by the Police to be false, and nothing all Police action thereafter.	Reported to the Police, but found on inquiry by the Police to be false, and nothing all Police action thereafter.	Reported to the Police, but found on inquiry by the Police to be false, and nothing all Police action thereafter.	Reported to the Police, but found on inquiry by the Police to be false, and nothing all Police action thereafter.	Reported to the Police, but found on inquiry by the Police to be false, and nothing all Police action thereafter.	Reported to the Police, but found on inquiry by the Police to be false, and nothing all Police action thereafter.	Reported to the Police, but found on inquiry by the Police to be false, and nothing all Police action thereafter.	Reported to the Police, but found on inquiry by the Police to be false, and nothing all Police action thereafter.	Reported to the Police, but found on inquiry by the Police to be false, and nothing all Police action thereafter.	Reported to the Police, but found on inquiry by the Police to be false, and nothing all Police action thereafter.
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15			16	17	18
1	115 ... ... 117 .. . 118, 119 ..	Abetment of offence not committed, & Abetting commission of offence by public, & Concealing design to commit offences, & Total ..	...		..					..							...	...	...
	Class I.—Offences the State, Public Tranquility Safety, and Justice																		
2	121 to 126, 130, 138	Offences relating to army and navy																	
3	231 to 233, 467 and 471	Offences relating to coin, Stamps, and Government note.								..						...	...	...	...
4	212 to 216	Harbouring an offender.	5				5	3	100	60·	5			3	2	..	60·	60·	...
5	224 to 226	Other offences against public justice					2	2	100	100	2			2	...	..	100·	100·	...
6	143 to 153, 157, 158 ..	Rioting or unlawful assembly					1	1	100	100·	1			1	...	..	100·	100·	...
7	140, 170, 171, .	Personating public servant or soldier	12				9	8	88	66·66				3	...	...	100·	100·	...
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		Total	20	.	...	..	20	14	55·55	70·	11	..	..	9	2	...	81·81	81·81	...
	Class II.—Serious offences against the Person																		
8	302, 303, 396	Murder by things																	
9		Do by dacoits																	
10		Do by robbers	...																
11		Do by poison																	
12		Other murders	..																
13	307 .	Attempts at murder ...	8			1	6	3	100	50	8	.	..	3	4	2	37·5	42·85	...
14	304, 308 ...	.. Culpable homicide .	1	1				1	100·	.	1								
15	376 ...	.. Rape ..	3		...	2	3	1	33·33	33·33	1	..		1	2	...	100·	33·33	...
16	377 ...	.. Unnatural offences	4	1	.	...	1	1	50	100	2	...		1		..	50·	100·	...
17	317, 318 .	Exposure of infants or concealment of birth	...	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	...	.	.	...
18	305, 306, 309	Attempt at, and abetment of suicide ..	5	.	.	.	5	1	100	20	5	.	...	1	4	.	20·	20·	...
19	329, 331, 333	. Grievous hurt for the purpose of extorting property or confession, or deterring public servant ...	4			...	4	4	100	100·	4	...	..	4	..	...	100·	100	...
20	325, 326, 335	... Grievous hurt	.	.	...	.	.	.	..	..	.	.	..	1	...	..	..	..	...
21	328 ..	... Administering stupefying drugs to cause hurt ...	2		..	1	2	1	100·	50·	2	...		.	2	..	50·	50·	...
22	327, 330, 332	. Hurt for purpose extorting property or confession or deterring public servant ...	1		..	..	1		100·	.	1	..	..	..	1	..	...	..	...
23	324 .	. Hurt by dangerous weapon	11	2		..	3	.	30·30		10	...	.	...	5	3	..	..	...
24	363 to 369	.. Kidnapping or abduction	9	3		...	6	1	100	16·66	8	1	.	1	5	...	11·11	16·66	...
25	346 to 348	.. Wrongful confinement and restraint in secret or for purpose of extortion	.	..		..	.	..	..	.	..	...	..	..	..	...	...	...	...
26	372, 373 ...	.. Selling, letting, or unlawfully obtaining a minor for prostitution	.	.	...	..	..	..	...	.	..	...	.	...	..	..	...	...	...
27	371 ...	.. Habitually dealing in slaves	..	...	.	...	..	..	.	.	.	.	..	...	..	..	...	...	...
28	353, 354, 356, 357	Criminal force to public servant or women or in attempt to commit theft or wrongfully confine ..	15	4	...	...	7	3	42·86	42·85	11	1	..	3	4	1	85·	42·85	...
29	304 A, 338	Rash or negligent act causing death or grievous hurt . .	.	.	.	...	...	.	..		..	...	..	...	.	...	...	...	...
		Total	61	11	.	4	40	15	95·16	37·5	53	2	...	15	27	6	27·27	35·71	...

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the year 1885 in the Province of Coog.

Persons.																		Property.						
Pending at the end of last year.	Received by transfer.	Number arrested or appeared on other process during the year.		Total of Columns 19 to 22.	Died, escaped, or transferred without being brought before a Magistrate for trial.	Released without being brought before a Magistrate.	Proportion of persons released on Police bail but not being brought before a Magistrate to persons arrested by Police.	Number actually brought before a Magistrate for trial.	Acquitted or discharged after appearance before a Magistrate.		Finally convicted (including persons ordered to give security for good conduct.)		Number of persons shown in Column 24 as having been set up by the Police.	Percentage of persons convicted in Police cases to persons arrested by the Police.	Percentage of persons convicted in Police cases to persons sent up for trial.	Otherwise disposed of, e.g., died, transferred, admitted as approvers, &c., after commencement of trial.	Number pending at end of year.			Number of cases in which property was stolen.	Number of cases in which property was recovered.	Percentage of cases in which property was lost to cases in which property was recovered.	Amount of property stolen.	Amount of property recovered.	Percentage of value of property recovered to value of property lost.
		Arrested by Police.	Appearing under order of Magistrate.						By Magistrate.	By Sessions or High Court.	By Magistrate.	By Sessions or High Court.					In custody of Police.	On bail.	Under trial before Magistrate. Committed to Sessions.						
19	20	21	22	23	24	25	26	27	28	29	30	31	32	33	34	35	36	37	38	39	40	41	42	43	44	45
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7	...	68	...	75		14	20·58	60	25	7	13	9	19	27·72	33·20	1	...	...		2	...	...	...	...	...	...

Serial Number.	Law under which punishable.	Description of Crime.	Cases. Reported to have been committed during the year, whether taken up by Magistrates direct or by the Police, and including all false accusations of cognizable crimes.	Number of reported cases in column 4 not entered in this Register. Section 157 clauses (a) and (b) Criminal Procedure Code.	Rejected as to have been committed by persons over whom brought under enquiry during the year.	Cases pending before the Courts from previous years.	Number of cases in columns 4, 6 and 7 disposed.	Number of cases in columns 4, 6 and 7 ending in conviction.	Percentage of cases investigated by Police to cases reported.	Percentage of cases ending in conviction to cases decided.	Investigated by Police. Struck off.	Investigated by Police. By order of Magistrate on complaint, or of his own motion in which no previous report was given to the Police.	Investigated by Police. By order of Magistrate after Police refusal to enquire.	Number of cases in columns 12 to 14. A. Ending in conviction.	Number of cases in columns 12 to 14. B. Ending in acquittal or discharge.	Number of cases in columns 12 to 14. C. Pending at close of year before Magistrate or Sessions Court.	Percentage of Police cases ending in conviction to cases investigated.	Percentage of Police cases ending in conviction to cases decided.	Number of cases declared by Magistrate to be false and never to have occurred.
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15			16	17	18
		Class III.—Serious Offences against Person and Property or against Property only.																	
30	395, 397, 398	.. Dacoity	4	1		1	2	1	100	50	4	..		2	1	1	50·	66·66	...
31	399, 402	Preparation and assembly for dacoity ..																	
32	394, 397, 398	Robbery with hurt, { By poisons or stupifying drugs / By other means																	
33	392, 393	Robbery, { In dwelling house / On the highway, between sun-set and sun-rise / Other robberies	7				7	2	28·71	66·66	5	1		2	1		33·33	66·66	...
34	270, 281, 282, 430 to 433, 435 to 440	Serious mischief and cremate offence	8	4			8	1	87·5	33·33	7	..		1	2	...	14·28	33·33	...
35	428, 429 ...	Mischief by killing, poisoning, or maiming any animal																	
36	454, 455, 457 to 460 ..	Lurking house-trespass or house-breaking with intent to commit an offence, or having made preparation for hurt	35	10	..	3	13	8	77·42	61·53	24	1	...	9	8	1	36·	52·94	...
37	449 to 452 ..	House-trespass with a view to commit an offence or having made preparation for hurt																	
38	412, 413 ..	Receiving stolen property by dacoity or habitually																	
39	311, 400, 401. ..	Belonging to gangs of thugs, dacoits, robbers and thieves																	
		Total	54	18		4	21	12	77·77	50·14	40	2	..	14	12	2	35·33	63·64	...
		Class IV—Minor Offences against the Person.																	
40	341 to 344 ...	Wrongful restraint and confinement	81	7		..	71	20	50·8 6	28·16	22	3	..	4	13	1	...	23·52	...
41	336, 337...	.. Rash act causing hurt or endangering life																	
42	374 ...	...Compulsory labor ..																	
		Total ..	81	7			71	20	50·86	28·16	22	3		4	13	1	16·	23·52	...
		Class V—Minor Offences against Property																	
43	453, 456 ..	...Lurking house-trespass or house breaking	...		...	...			...	...							...	...	...
44	379 to 382 ...	Theft { Of cattle .. / Ordinary	14	2		...	11	5	42·85	45·45	12	..	1	5	6	...	38·46	45·45	...
45	406 to 408 .	Criminal breach of trust ..	313	69	..	3	238	119	79·23	31·19	230	16	2	79	76	27	31·85	50·94	2
46	411, 414 ..	.. Receiving stolen property ..	39	11	..	2	35	5	82·05	14·28	26	2	1	5	11	4	15·62	45·45	...
47	417, 448...	.. Criminal or house-trespass ..	11	.	.	..	14	5	50·	50·	7	...	...	5	1	1	71·42	83·33	...
48	461, 462...	...Breaking closed receptacle	55	3	..	..	52	10	27·27	30·76	13	...	...	4	6	...	30·76	40·	...
			6	3	.		3	1	100	33·33	6	...	...	1	2	...	16·66	33·33	...
		Total....	441	88	..	5	353	145	71·65	41·07	294	18	4	98	102	32	31·32	4·25	2
		Class VI.— Other Offences not specified above.																	
49	295 to 297 ...	Offences against religion	1	...	...	.	1	..	...	...	1	...	..	...	1	...	...	...	...
50	Chapter VIII, (B) C. P. C and Act IX of 1874 ...	Vagrancy and bad character ..	.	...	...		...	2	...	...	..	...	...	.	..	...	...	...	...
51	Cognizable offences under the Acts specified ...	Offences against Gambling Act ...	2	...	.	..	2	2	50·	100	1	...	...	1	..	...	100·	100·	...
52		——— Excise Laws	14	..	.		14	12	35·71	85·71	5	...	...	4	1	...	80·	80·	...
53		——— Opium Act	...	..	.	..	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
54		——— Police Rules	48	...	...	..	48	55	45·83	72·91	22	...	...	21	1	...	95·45	95·45	...
55		——— Coffee Act	3	...	...	.	3	3	100·	100·	3	...	...	3	...	...	100·	100·	...
56		——— Arms Act	4	...	...	..	4	...	25·	...	1	...	...	..	1	...	...	...	...
57	269, 277, 279, 280, 283, 285, 286, 289, 291, to 294 ,Section 34 of Act V of 1861 and may other Municipal or Local Laws.	Public and local nuisances	11	1	...		10	7	100·	10·	11	...	...	7	3	...	63·63	70.	...
		Total	83	1	...	...	82	59	53·01	71·95	44	...	...	36	7	...	81·81	83·72	...
		Grand Total.....	740	125	...	13	587	26	66·02	45·14	464	25	4	177	163	41	35·90	52·05	2

A.—*Concluded.*

Pending at the end of last year.	Received by transfer.	Persons. Number arrested or appeared on other process during the year. Arrested by Police.	Appearing under order of Magistrate.	Total of columns 19 to 22.	Died, escaped, or transferred without being brought before a Magistrate for trial.	Released without being brought before a Magistrate.	Percentage of persons released in Police cases without being brought before a Magistrate, to persons arrested by Police.	Number actually brought before a Magistrate for trial.	Acquitted or discharged after appearance before a Magistrate. By Magistrate.	By Sessions or High Court.	Finally convicted (including persons ordered to give security for good conduct.) By Magistrate.	By Sessions or High Court.	Number of persons so convicted who had 30 and 31 were not up by the Police.	Percentage of persons convicted in Police cases to persons arrested by the Police.	Percentage of persons convicted in Police cases sent up for trial.	Otherwise disposed of, e.g., died, transferred, admitted as approvers, &c., after commencement of trial.	Number pending at end of year. Before appearance before a Magistrate. In custody of Police	On bail.	Under trial before Magistrate.	Committed to Sessions.	Number of cases in which property was stolen.	Property. Number of cases in which property was recovered.	Percentage of cases in which property was lost to cases in which property was recovered.	Amount of property stolen.	Amount of property recovered.	Percentage of value of property recovered to value of property lost.	Remarks.
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7	..	295	113	415	1	60	20·33	354	158	1	184		139	47·11	57·67	...	...	...	11		52	38	73·07	2,997	1,881	62·09	
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9	..	365	178	552	3	69	18·90	480	214	1	219	..	163	44·65	55·63	...	.	..	16		58	42	72·41	3,118	1,921	61·61	
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25	..	697	390	1112	6	99	14·20	1007	482	8	453	25	332	47·63	53·89	1	..	...	36	2	65	46	70·76	5,303	3,839	72·39	

PART II.—RETURN OF NON-

Serial Number.	Law under which punishable.	DESCRIPTION OF CRIME.	Cases. Average institution of five preceding years.	Instituted by complainant during the year.	Taken up by Magistrate of his own motion.	Total of columns 5 and 6.
1	2	3	4	5	6	7
1	115	Abetment of offences not committed, &c.	...	...	.	...
	117	Abetting commission of offence by public, &c	...	...	..	...
	118, 119 . ..	Concealing design to commit offence	...	..	...	...
		Total	...	...	...	.
		Class I.—Offences against the State, Public tranquillity, &c., &c.				
2	121 to 130, 505 .	Offences against the State ...	..	.	...	...
3	137	Harbouring deserters by Master of Ship ..	.	...	...	...
4	172 to 190, 201 to 204, 213 to 215, 227, 228	Offences against public justice	10	15	...	15
5	161 to 169, 217 to 228	Do by public servants ...	4	5	...	5
6	193 to 200, 205 to 211, 401 to 424	False evidence, false complaints and claims and fraudulent defeat and disposition of property .	8	9	...	9
7	465 to 477 .	Forgery or fraudulently using forged documents	4	5	...	5
8	264 to 267	Offences relating to weights and measures .	12	16		16
9	482 to 489 .	Making or using false trade marks	...	.	...	...
10	149, 154 to 155, 160 ...	Rioting, unlawful assembly, affray ...	6	8	...	8
		Total ...	44	58		58
		Class II.—Serious Offences against the person.				
11	312 to 316 .	Causing miscarriage . .	3	4	..	4
12	370 . .	Buying or disposing of slaves	.	.	..	.
		Total ..	3	4	.	4
		Class III.—Serious Offences against the property.				
13	384 to 389 ..	Extortion	5	6	...	6
		Total ...	5	6	...	6
		Class IV.—Minor Offences against the person.				
14	345 ...	Wrongful confinement	56	67	.	67
15	352, 355, 358 . .	Criminal force	267	309	...	309
16	334 . .	Hurt on grave and sudden provocation ...	9	11	...	11
17	323	Voluntarily causing hurt . ..	81	90	...	90
		Total . ..	413	477	..	477
		Class V.—Minor Offences against property.				
18	417 to 420 . .	Cheating . .	18	20	...	20
19	403, 404 ...	Criminal misappropriation of property ..	24	28	..	28
20	409	Criminal breach of trust by public servants, bankers, &c	3	4	.	4
21	426, 427, 434	Mischief (simple)	78	80	...	80
		Total .	123	132	.	132
		Class VI.—Other Offences not specified above				
22	298	Offences against religion	3	4	...	4
23	490 to 492	Criminal breach of contract of services	..	..		...
24	493 to 498 .	Offences relating to marriage ..	12	15		15
25	500 to 502	Defamation . ..	7	9	...	9
26	504, 506 to 510	Intimidation and insult . .	117	172	...	172
27	271 to 276, 278, 284, 287, 288, 290 ..	Public and local nuisances .	10	15		15
28	294A . .	Keeping a lottery office	..	.	..	...
29	Offences under Chapter VIII (*a*) C. P. C.	Security for keeping the peace on conviction .	4	4	.	4
30	Offences under Chapter X, C. P. C. ..	Public nuisances	9	10	.	10
31	Cases under Chapter XII, C. P. C. ..	Disputes as to immovable property . .	...	...	...	...
32	Cases under Chapter XXXVI, C. P. C. ...	Maintenance of wives and children . ..	7	6	..	6
		Total .	169	235	...	235
		Special Laws, offences under which are not cognizable by the Police.				
		Coorg Forest Rules	15	18	...	18
		Indian Stamp Act	4	2	...	2
		Breach of Contract Act . ..	592	936	...	936
		Excise Act . . .	15	22	...	22
		Vaccination Act	5	5	...	5
		Total	571	983	...	983
		Grand Total	1, 328	1,895	...	1,895

I.—*Concluded*

COGNIZABLE CRIME FOR THE YEAR 1885.

		PERSONS.								
Number of cases in column 7 in which the Police were employed to make enquiry.	Number of cases in which process issued.	Number of persons against whom process issued.	Actually appeared before the Courts including pending from last year.	Discharged after appearance.	Acquitted.		Convicted.		Waiting trail at close of year.	Remarks.
					By Magistrate	By High or Sessions Courts.	By Magistrate.	By High or Sessions Courts.		
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2. *Thuggee and Dacoity, Administration of Poisonous or Stupifying drugs for Criminal purposes, and other Professional Crimes in the Provinces of Coorg for the year 1885.*

Description of Crime.	Cases.				Persons							Comparative Statement.															Remarks.
	Committed during previous two years, and in which no conviction was obtained up to beginning of the year.	Occurred within the year.	Cases under columns 2 and 3 brought to trial within the year.	Cases under columns 2 and 3 in which no one was brought to trial up to close of year.	Number supposed to be concerned in cases in columns 2 and 3.	Arrested.	Brought to trial	Convicted.	Acquitted.	Remaining under trial	Number supposed to be at large at the close of the year.	Number of persons arrested.			Brought to trial			Convicted.			Property stolen			Property recovered			
												1883	1884	1885	1883	1884	1885	1883	1884	1885	1883	1884	1885	1883	1884	1885	
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13			14			15			16			17			18
Thuggee { by Strangulation																											
Thuggee { by Poison																											
Dacoity on Land		..	..		...			.	..				12		.	12	.		9		...	777	.		304	..	
Dacoity on Water																											
Robbery by administration of poisonous or deleterious drugs —																											
(*a*) With Murder																											
(*b*) Without Murder																											
Other professional crimes, viz.,																											
Kidnapping																											
Cattle-theft																											
Total	..	...	...	...	...		..	.	...	...	.	..	12	.	..	12	...		9	.		777	...	..	304	...	

3. *Statement of Additional Police collected for the protection of Persons and Property, quartered as a Punitive Measure in the Province of Coorg for the year 1885.*

District.	PART I.—Additional Police collected for the protection of Persons and Property.															PART II.—Additional Police quartered as a punitive measure.						
	Name of fairs or places of large assembly where Additional Police have been collected during the year.	Duration of fair or assembly.	Estimated number of persons assembled.	Strength of Police usually located at the place.		Detailed from the Regular Force.		Specially employed in addition to columns 5 to 8.		Total Cost under columns 9 and 10.		Number of offences against person or property during such assembly.		Property.		Number of cases.	Strength of Additional Police.		Total Cost of Additional Police including all Contingencies.	Period for which quartered.	Number of offences committed in or traced to a village or place in which the Additional Police was established.	Remarks.
				Officers.	Men.	Officers.	Men.	Officers.	Men.	To Government.	To local or private funds.	Investigated by the Police.	In which conviction followed.	Stolen.	Recovered.		Officers.	Men.				
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15	16	17	18	19	20	21	22	23
Mahadeopet	Moharam ...	2	5,000	3	22	1	8	..	...	...	..	..	...	...	...		...	...	...	...	...	...
Virarajendrapet	Do	2	4,500	3	19	...	...	..	...	...	...	.	...	...	...	.	.	...	..	...	...	...
Padinalknad Taluk	Bagmandla.	3	12,000	...	...	2	10	.	.	.		...	...	...		...	.	...	..	...	...	...
Kiggatnad Do	Irupu .	2	3,260	1	2	2	4	3	10	..	...	.	...	...	.	...	...	..	...	...	...	...
Total		9	24,760	7	43	5	22	3	10	...	...	...	...	...	...	..	...	...	..	...	...	...

4. *Statement showing Strength, Cost, Distribution and Employment of Police in the Province of Coorg for the year 1885*

Districts.	Sanctioned Strength of Police Force.									Cost of Police.											
	Inspector General, Deputy and Assistant Inspector General.	Strength of District, Cantonment, Town or Municipal and Water Police, paid Wholly or in part from Imperial or Provincial Revenues						Strength of Cantonment, Town or Municipal and Water Police paid wholly from other than Imperial or Provincial Revenues.		Pay and travelling allowances of Controlling Officers (Col II), and pay and travelling allowances of their Establishments.	Total Pay of District and Assistant District Superintendents (Col III). (2).	Other Expenses of Col. III		Total Pay of Subordinate Officers (Cols IV, and V) (1).	Total Pay of Constables of all classes (VI, VII, and VIII)	House and travelling allowances, permanent or otherwise, not included in Cols XII, XIV, and XV.	Average pay of		Contingencies and all expenses other than included in Cols. XII to XVIII.	Total Cost.	Payable from Imperial or Provincial revenues.	Payable from other sources.
		Number of District and Assistant District Superintendents.	Number of Subordinate Officers on Rs 100 and upwards (1)	Number of Subordinate Officers on less than Rs 100 (1)	Number of Mounted police Constables.	Number of Foot Police Constables.	Number of Water Police Constables	Total	Officers.	Men		Travelling allowances of District and Assistant Superintendents.	Pay and travelling Allowance of their Establishment (3).				Mounted Constables.	Foot and Water Constables.				
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15	16	17	18	19	20	21	22	23	24
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Total ..			1	28		161	..	188	.	..		..	...	..	5,626 13 1	15,736 11 5	15 1 8	.	...	1,903 12 7	23,282 7 7	...	...

Districts.	Distribution of Force.										Proportion of the whole Force (Officers and Men).						Proportion of the Police on Station duties (Officers and Men.)						Total amount of cognizable crime reported (Crime 4 & 6 of Statement A, Part 1).	Proportion of cognizable crime to the Police Force on station duties (Cols. XXVII and XXVIII.)
	In District.								On Town, Municipal or Harbour duty.	In Cantonments.	Area of whole District in square miles.	Population of whole District.	To area (6)			To population (7)			To area.			To population.				
	Guards at District, Central or Subsidiary Jails.		On station duty.		Guards over Lockups and Treasuries, or escort to prisoners and treasure or in reserve.		Total.						Of the whole District.	Of Districts exclusive of Towns. (5)	Of Towns. (5)	Of the whole Districts.	Of Districts exclusive of Towns. (5)	Of Towns. (5)	Of the whole District.	Of Districts exclusive of Towns.	Of Towns.	Of the whole District.	Of District exclusive of Towns. (5)	Of Towns. (5)		
	Officers	Men	Officers.	Men.	Officers.	Men.	Officers	Men.																	
	25	26	27	28	29	30	31	32	33	34	35	36	37	38	39	40	41	42	43	44	45	46	47	48	49	50
Coorg ...	2	20	15	77	..	6	17	103	68	..	1,583	178,302	1 to 84	...	...	1 to 948	...	..	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Total	2	20	15	77	...	6	17	103	68	..	1,583	178,302	1 to 84	...		1 to 948	.	..	..	...	..	..	...	...	...	...

5. *Statement showing Equipment Discipline and General Internal Management of the Force in the Province of Coorg for the year* 1885.

District.	Total sanctioned strength.		Armament of the Force.			Punishments.										Reward.		Education.				Number enlisted during the year.	Of one year's service and under ten years.	Of ten years' service and upwards.	Number who have left the Force during the year.						Percentage of men in Hospital during the year to total strength of Force.	Percentage of deaths during the year to total strength of Force.	Number of men on sick report during the year.
								Fined degraded or suspended by their own Departmental Officers.		Punished judicially by a Magistrate.																								
						Dismissed.				Under Police Act.		Under Sections, 330, 331, 348, Penal Code.		Under Chapter IX of Penal Code.		Other offences.		Number of Police rewarded during the year.		Number of Police who can read and write.		Number of Police who learn under instruction during the year.											
	Officers.	Men.	Number provided with fire-arms.	Number provided with swords only, or swords and latons.	Number provided with latons only.	Officers.	Men.	Officers.	Men.	Officers.	Men.	Officers.	Men.	Officers.	Men.	Officers.	Men.	By promotion.	By money rewards.	Officers.	Men.	Officers.	Men.				On pension.	On gratuity.	By resignation without pension or gratuity.	By dismissal (Columns 7 and 8)	By discharge otherwise than under preceding columns.	By desertion.	By death.			
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15	16	17	8	19	20	21	22	23	24	25	26	27	28	29	30	31	32	33	34	35	36	37
North Coorg ...	14	88	22	26	24	...	3	11	41	...	2	..	...		..	...	...	2	1	14	12	..	.	6	102	...	...	...	3	3	...	...	..	32·94	...	33
South Coorg ...	11	47	4	12	20	...	7	6	23	.	1	...	...	...	...	...	.	5	...	11	13	...	...	13	58	...	...	...	6	7	...	...	...	36·20	...	21
Jail and Treasury Guard ...	2	26	4	4	...	...	2	1	10	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	..	...	.	2	4		...	7	28	...	...	...	4	2	...	...	1	60·71	...	17
Total.....	27	161	30	42	*44	...	12	18	74	..	4	...	...	...	...	...	...	7	1	27	29	...	...	26	188	..	...	...	13	12	...	..	1	37·76	·005	71

Details of Fines, &c.

Fined less than	Re.	1	46	14 4 10
„ Re. 1 and less than	Rs.	2	25	29 13 11
„ Rs. 2	„	5	13	83 0 4
„ more than	„	5	3	25 2 1
Degraded		...	3	...
Suspended		...	2	..
Total			92	107 5 2

* In the statement for 1884, the number of Constables provided with latons was shown as 125 through an oversight, The actual number is 44 as given in this statement.

II D POLICE.

6. *Statement showing the race and religion or caste of Officer and Men employed in the Police in the Province of Coorg for the year 1887*

| District. | Race. | | | | | | | | | | | Religion or Caste. | | | | | | | | | | |

1. *Statement shewing the Strength, Cost and other Particulars of the Army attached to the Province of Coorg in the year* 1885—86.

Arm of Service.	Total Number of Fighting Officers and Men.								Detail of Force at the end of year.						Paid Camp Followers and Non-Combatants.	Average Annual Pay and Allowances of each—					Total Cost including contingencies.
	Remaining at the end of 13th August 1885.	Recruited up to 13th August 1886	Died			Invalided.	Discharged, deserted &c	Remaining at the end of 13th August 1886.	Number of Regiments, Battalions or Batteries.	Number of Guns	Number of Men.					European Commissioned Officers.	Native Commissioned Officers.	Non-Commissioned Officers.	Fighting men.	Camp followers.	
			In action.	Otherwise.	Total.						European Commissioned Officers.	Native Commissioned Officers.	Non-Commissioned Officers.	Fighting men.							
									Nil												

II. E. MILITARY.

2. *Statement shewing the Distribution and Employment of the Army attached to the Province of Coorg in the Year* 1885—86.

Arm of Service.	Employment on last day of the year.							Employment during the year.						
	Number of Regiments, Batteries, and on Active Service.	Number of Permanent Cantonments occupied.	Number of Out-post occupied.	Average Number of Men at Head-quarters of each Regiment, Battery, &c. not on Active Service.		Average Number of Men of each Regiment, &c. detailed for Out-post duty.		Average Number of days spent by each Man on Active Service.	Average Number of days spent by each Men not on Active Service.			Number of Divisional or Station Parades during the period from.	Number of Regimental Parade during the period from.	Average Number of days devoted to musketry, Instruction &c.
				On duty.	Off duty.	On duty.	Off duty.		On duty.	With Corps, or Company not on duty.	On Furlong.			
						Nil.								

3. *Statement showing Religion, Races and Classes of the Native Officers and Men of the Army attached to the Province of Coorg on the last day of the Official yaer* 1885—86.

Classification according to Religion, Race, &c.	Average Age.	Average Height.	Average Weight.	General Physiognomy and Characteristics of each Race and Caste.
	Nil.			

II. F MARINE.

1. *Statement showing the Strength and other particulars of the Marine Force for the year.* 1885—86.

Arm of Service	Total Number of fighting Officers and Men,							Detail Force at the end of the year.						Average annual pay and allowance of each.					
	Remaining at the end of last year.	Recruited this year.	Died.			Invalided.	Discharged deserted &c.	Remaining at the end of last year.	Number of Ships.	Number of Guns.	European Commissioned Officers.	Native Commissioned Officers	Non-Commissioned Officers.	Fighting men	Paid non-combatants.	European Commissioned Officers.	Native Commissioned Officers.	Non-Commissioned Officers.	Fighting men.	Paid non-combatants.	Total cost including Contingencies,
			In action.	Otherwise	Total.																

2. *Statement shewing the Religion, Races and Classes of Native Officers and Men of the Marine Force for* 1885—86.

Classification according to Religion, Race &c	Average Age.	Average Height.	Average Weight.	General Physiognomy and Character of each Caste and Race.
		Nil.		

III. Statistics of Production and Distribution.

A. FINANCE.

1. *Account of the Gross and net Revenue of Coorg for the year* 1885.—86.

Sources of Revenue.	Gross Receipts.			Refunds and Drawbacks.			Charged against Income.												Net Receipts.			Deficit.		
							Charges of collection including cost of Salt, Opium and maintaining reproductive works.			Allowances and Assignments under Treaty and Engagements.			Allowances of District and Village Officers and Inamdars and Charitable Grants.			Total.								
	Rs.	As	P.	Rs.	As	P.	Rs.	As	P.	Rs.	As	P.	Rs.	As	P.	Rs.	As	P.	Rs.	As	P.	Rs.	As	P.
Land Revenue ...	3,13,030	0	4	2,452	1	8	88,093	14	5	7,050	12	6	13,785	15	2	1,11,382	11	9	2,01,647	4	7	...	...	...
Forest	88,718	10	3	...	...	...	65,808	2	6	..	...	...	...	...	...	65,808	2	6	22,910	7	9	...	...	...
Excise on spirits and drugs...	1,25,441	2	3	441	0	0	1,961	8	7	...	...	...	...	...	...	2,402	6	7	1,23,038	11	10	...	...	...
Total	5,27,189	13	0	2,893	1	8	1,55,863	7	6	7,050	12	6	13,785	15	2	1,79,593	4	10	3,47,596	8	2	...	...	...
Assessed Taxes—Income Tax.	.	...	.	...	...	...	...	...	..	...	...	...	...	...	...	.	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Stamps. { General ...	16,219	7	0	157	13	0	448	12	7	...	..	...	...	...	...	606	9	7	15,612	13	5	...	...	...
Stamps. { Court Fees stamps.	54,886	5	0	273	4	0	1,211	0	5	..	..	..	..	...	...	1,484	4	5	53,402	0	7	...	...	...
Law and Justice. { Refunds ...	15	1	7	...	..	..	..	..	..	...	..	...	...	...	...	..	...	...	15	1	7	...	...	...
Law and Justice. { Real Fines ...	5,227	6	11	511	8	11	...	..	...	..	...	...	...	...	...	511	8	11	4,715	14	0	...	...	...
Law and Justice. { Miscellaneous ...	1,560	10	6	...	..	..	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1,560	10	6	...	...	...
Interest ...	1,112	5	9	.	..	..	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	.	1,112	5	9	...	...	...
Miscellaneous ...	1,705	1	0	272	8	9	...	...	..	...	...	...	...	...	...	272	8	9	1,432	9	1	...	...	...
Local rates and taxes ...	...	...	.	...	.	..	..	..	.	.	.	.	..	..	..	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Jails ...	4,225	5	8	...	.	.	..	..	..	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	4,225	5	8	...	...	...
Registration	4,355	0	0	68	0	0	1,653	12	6	...	...	...	...	...	...	1,721	12	6	2,633	3	6	...	...	...
Police ...	...	...	.	..	..	..	...	..	.	.	...	.	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Education	3,485	4	2	...	..	..	...	..	.	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	..	...	3,485	4	2	...	...	...
Medical	278		8	..	..	..	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	278	...	8	...	...	...
Printing	...	...	..	...	..	..	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Cemetery Funds	...	...	.	..	.	.	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Public Works	18	0	0	...	.	..	...	..	...	...	...	...	..	...	...	...	...	...	18	...	...	...	...	...
Anche Collections ..	...	..		...	..	..	...	..	..	..	..	..	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	..	...	...	...
Postage and Service Labels ..	22,137	1	0		..	..	17,083	9	6	..	...	...	...	...	...	17,083	9	6	5,053	7	6	...	...	...
Public Works. { Refunds ...	8,388	4	4	..	..	..	...	...	...	...	.	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	8,388	4	4	...	...	...
Public Works. { Sales ...	209	0	10	..	.	..	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	209	0	10	...	..	...
Public Works. { Real ...	449	12	0	...	...	..	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	449	12	0	...	...	...
Military fund	431	1	11	..	..	..	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	431	1	11	...	...	...
Electric Telegraph	1,231	15	5	...	..	...	7,964	8	10	..	...	...	...	...	...	7,964	8	10	...	...	...	6732	9	5
Grand Total	6,53,125	1	7	4,176	4	4	1,84,225	3	4	7,050	12	6	13,785	15	2	2,09,238	3	4	4,50,619	7	8	6,732	9	5
Excluded Local Funds, Municipal Funds ...	21,041	3	5	25	10	8	179	8	0	...	...	...	...	...	...	205	2	8	20,836	0	9	...	...	...
School Plantation receipts...	4,200	12	3	...	..	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	4,200	12	3	...	...	...
Total.....	25,241	15	8	25	10	8	179	8	0	...	...	...	...	...	...	205	2	8	25,036	13	0	...	...	...
Local Fund.....	37,969	15	0	31	3	6	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	31	3	6	37,938	11	6	...	...	...
Total.....	63,211	14	8	56	14	2	179	8	0	...	...	...	...	...	...	236	6	2	62,975	8	6	...	...	...
Gross Receipts.....	7,16,337	0	3	4,233	2	6	1,84,404	11	4	7,050	12	6	13,785	15	2	2,00,474	9	6	5,13,595	0	2	6,732	9	5

N. B—Rs. 1,006—5—0 granted annually for the worship of deities
Rs. 7,411—11—7 granted to headmen of villages for collecting revenue } not being shown in receipts are not shown here.

III. A. FINANCE.

2. *Accounts of Expenditure from Net Income of the Province of Coorg for the year* 1885—86.

	Amount last year, 1884—85.			Amount present year, 1885—86.		
Civil and Political Establishment and Contingencies	37,779	14	9	34,940	0	5
Judicial charges ... Courts	32,321	8	8	35,561	0	5
Judicial charges ... Prisons	17,766	0	9	19,859	12	9
Police charges	23,941	11	11	24,772	8	9
Military	11,034	11	6	12,293	13	1
Deficit Post Office	...	...	...	...	...	...
Do Electric Telegraph	13,647	4	6	6,732	9	5
Ecclesiastical	8,332	11	4	1,767	8	1
Superannuation and retired allowances	11,412	1	1	9,370	12	3
Public Works ... Civil New	1,79,440	6	5	1,50,982	5	9
Public Works ... do Repairs						
Education	31,198	8	8	37,277	12	5
Miscellaneous	1,513	9	11	3,033	15	5
Total Imperial.....	3,68,388	9	6	3,36,592	2	9
Local						
District Roads } ... . Other Expenditure }	61,293	12	1	34,883	5	8
Police.						
Other Municipal Expenditure	22,473	5	5	21,565	11	4
Total Local.....	83,767	1	6	56,449	1	0
Grand Total.....	4,52,155	11	0	3,93,041	3	9
Surplus ..	85,822	14	5	1,20,553	12	5

3. *Account of Cash Receipts and Disbursements of the Treasuries of the Province of Coorg for the year* 1885.—86.

Receipts	Amount.			Disbursements.	Amount.		
Cash Balance of last year	1,84,989	4	5	Expenditure as per Statements No. 1 and 2 ...	5,95,783	3	10
Net Revenue as per Statement No. 1 deducting Rs. being sale proceeds of waste lands separately shown	5,11,248	13	1	Loans, Railways and Interest .	1,315	3	0
Receipts on account of Loans and Railways	...	...	...	Advances	3,636	15	2
Do Service Funds	..	...	...				
Repayment of advances	1,800	8	7	Repayment of deposits	36,153	4	4
Deposits	32,228	0	7				
Prize money	..	.	..	Bills of other Treasuries paid	9,885	12	7
Sale of waste lands	2,346	3	1				
Bills drawn on other Treasuries	1,87,916	5	1	Remittance to State Treasuries.....	1,95,000	0	0
Family Remittances	..	..	...				
Remittances	1,11,000	0	0				
Add amount deducted as per Statement No. 1 ..	2,02,742	0	1				
Total	12,34,271	2	11				
Disbursements	8,41,774	6	11	Total.....	8,41,774	6	11
Cash Balance at the end of the year	3,92,496	12	0				

4. *Statement showing Particulars of the Public Works expenditure shown in Finance Statement No.* 2, *for the year* 1885.—86.

Month.		Particulars.	Amount.			Total.		
April	1885	By Cheque	29,154	4	4			
May	do	Do	23,201	1	11			
June	do	Do	16,577	10	11			
July	do	Do	12,372	13	7			
August	do	Do	8,135	5	1			
September	do	Do	9,041	3	11			
October	do	Do	9,869	9	8			
November	do	Do	10,261	13	5			
December	do	Do	14,459	7	11			
January	1886	Do	12,038	4	3			
February	do	Do	13,873	9	10			
March	do	Do	20,543	1	4			
						1,79,526	6	2
		Deduct Cost of Irrigation Works						
Cost of District Funds carried out by D. P. W. but shown under Local Funds						28,544	0	5
Net shown in Finance Statement No. 2 as Public Works Expenditure						1,50,982	5	9

III. A. FINANCE.

5. *Statement showing the Gross and Net Revenue of general and Court Fee Stamps for the year* 1885—86.

Description.	Gross Revenue.	Expenditure.					Net Revenue.
		Charges for stamping &c at Mairas.	Establishment and contingencies of Superintendent of stamps.	Salaried court fee Vendors at Head Quarters.	Discount to Vendors.	Total.	
OTHER GENERAL STAMPS.							
General Stamps	13,415 14 0	...	...	...	361 8 9	361 8 9	13,054 5 3
One Anna Stamps for receipt and cheques ...	1,1 4 12 0	..	...	...	70 10 9	70 10 9	1,064 1 3
Bills of Exchange or Hundies	553 0 0	...	.	...	16 9 1	16 9 1	536 6 11
Court fee Stamps	54,886 5 0	.	.	.	1,211 0 5	1,211 0 5	53,675 4 7
Duty on unstamped paper	64 6 0	...	.	...	... ...	.. ..	64 6 0
Do unsufficiently Stamped paper ..	91 7 0	...		...	... .	... ...	91 7 0
Fines and Penalties	960 0 0	.	.	.	... ...	... .	960 0 0
Total.....	71,105 12 0	...	.	...	1,659 13 0	1,659 13 0	69,445 15 0

III B. PUBLIC WORKS.

1. *Statement showing the Expenditure of Money in the Public Works Department in the Province of Coorg during the year* 1885.—86.

Class of Works	Total expenditure including Establishment.						
	Capital spent on works yielding income.	Maintenance of works yielding income.	Capital spent on works not yielding income.	Maintenance of works not yielding income.	Total.	Cost of Establishment.	Tools and Plant.
IMPERIAL FUNDS.							
Original Works							
Civil Buildings	..	.	20,298	...	20,298	...	.
Communications	..		44,017	...	44,017	...	..
Miscellaneous Public Improvements	..	...	...	...	...	...	..
Total Original Works	..	..	64 315	...	64,315	...	...
Repairs.							
Military			361	...	361	...	...
Civil Buildings	..	..	2,574	.	2,574	...	...
Communications	.	.	34,078		34,078	...	...
Miscellaneous Public Improvements	...	..	.	...	...	...	...
Total Repairs .	..	...	37,013	...	37,013	...	...
Establishment . { Imperial Civil Buildings ..	...	...	.	...	..	...	..
Establishment . { Roads and Services ..		...	...	...	..	31,917	...
Establishment . { Military ..	..	..	...	...	...	83	..
Tools and Plant. { Imperial Civil Buildings .	..	...	...	...	..	...	..
Tools and Plant. { Boards and Services ...	...	..	.	.	...	...	4,435
Tools and Plant. { Military .		...	..	...	...	...	5
DISTRICT FUNDS.							
Original Works.							
Communications	.	..	8,317	...	8,317	...	
Miscellaneous Public Improvements	...	..	542	...	542	...	..
Total Original Works	.	...	8,859	...	8,859	...	...
Repairs.							
Communications	...	...	13,077	...	13,077	...	...
Miscellaneous Public Improvements	..	..	159	...	159	...	...
Total Repairs.....	..	...	13,236	...	13,236	...	...
Establishment	...	...	..	...	...	5,523	...
Tools and Plant	...	...	...	...	..	...	330

III. C. RAILWAYS, 1885.—86.

Name of Work.	Miles opened during the year.	Total miles opened.	Passengers during the year.					Approximate receipts from Passengers.	Approximate receipts from merchandise.	Miscellaneous receipts.	Total approximate receipts.	Working expenses approximate.	Net profit approximate.	Number of Europeans Staff.	Number of Native Staff.	Total capital expenditure.
			1st Class.	2nd Class.	3rd Class.	Cooly Class.	Total.									
						Nil.										

III-D- MARINE.

1. *Statement showing the Government Ships and Vessels employed during the year* 1885—86.

Detail of Vessels.	Tonnage of each Vessel and Horse power of each Engine if a Steamer	Number of Officers.	Number of Men.	Total Annual Cost.	Total Annual earning of the Vessel.	Remarks (showing the nature of the duties in which each Vessel was employed.)
			Nil.			

2. *Statement showing the number of Officers and Men employed otherwise than in Government Vessels during the year* 1885—86.

Description of Establishment.	Number of Officers.	Number of Men.	Total Annual Cost.	Total Annual Earnings.	Remarks.
1	2	3	4	5	6
		Nil.			

III E- AGRICULTURE.

Irrigation Coorg 1885—86.

District	Total area of crops in column 17 Form B, (2) irrigated and unirrigated.	Area Irrigated.						Details.				
		By Canal.		Tank	Wells.	Other Sources.	Total area of crops irrigated	Wheat.	Rice.	Other cereals and Pulses	Miscellaneous food crops.	Miscellaneous non-food crops.
		Government	Private.									
Coorg.	1,38,892	500	...	..	..	..	500	..	500	...	...	...

2. *Corps Cultivated* 1885—86.

District.	Cereals and Pulses			Oilseeds.	Sugarcane.	Fibres.			Coffee.	Tea	Tobacco.	Cinchona.	Miscellaneous.		Total area of crops	Deduct area of crops more than once.	Actual area on which crops were grown.
	Rice.	Wheat.	Other Cereals including pulses.			Cotton.	Jute.	Other Sorts.	Indigo.					Non-food crops.			
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15	16	17	18	19
Coorg.	Acres 73,805 Double crop Rice 404 Single 73,401 73,805	...	Acres 1,568 143 1,425 1,568	...	...	...	...	...	Acres 61,350	...	...	Acres. 1,800	...	Acres 369 Cardamom 290 Garden 79 369	Acres 1,38,892	Acres 547	Acres 1,38,345

III E- AGRICULTURE

3. *Stock for the year* 1885—86.

Cows and Bullocks.	Buffaloes.	Horses and Ponies.	Mules and Donkeys	Sheep and Goats.	Carts.	Ploughs	Boats.	Pigs.	Remarks
71,269	29,266	583	331	5,802	544	40,200	22	8,887	..

III. E. AGRICULTURE.

4. *Rates of Rent and Produce for the year* 1885—86.

District	Average Rent per Acre, for land suited for—											Average Produce of Land per Acre in lbs.											
	Rice.	Wheat.	Inferior grains.	Indigo.	Coffe.	Cotton.	Opium.	Oil seed.	Fibres.	Sugar.	Tobacco.	Rice.	Wheat.	Inferior grains.	Indigo.	Cotton.	Opium.	Oil seed.	Fibres.	Sugar.	Tobacco.	Tea.	Coffee.
Coorg.																							
Maximum	3-5-4	..	1-14-0	..	2-0-0	...	...		...	..	..	820	..	820	..	...	...	...	..	..	...	...	176
Minimum ...	1-10-8	..	0-9-6	...	1-0-0																		

III. F. PRICES OF PRODUCE AND LABOR.

1. *Produce for the year* 1885—86.

	Price of Produce per Maund of 80lbs.											Plough bullock, each.	Sheep, each.	Fish, per lb.	Iron per maund of 80 lbs.
	Rice.	Wheat.	Jerseed.	Cotton.	Sugar.	Ghee.	Salt.	Firewood.	Coffee.	Cardamom.	Rags.				
Coorg ...	5 9 8	4 7 1	3 4 0	30 0 0	12 0 0	30 0 0	3 7 8	0 5 10	17 0 0	60 0 0	1 9 7	Rs. 10 0 0 to Rs. 40 0 0	Rs. 2 8 0 to Rs 9 0 0	0 3 0	9 0 0

2. *Labor for the year* 1885—86.

District	Wages per diem.		Cart per day.	Camel per day.	Donkeys per day.	Boat per day.
	Skilled.	Unskilled.				
Coorg	0 12 0	0 4 0	1 8 0	0 0 0	0 0 0	0 0 0

III. G MINES AND QUARRIES, 1885—86.

District	Mineral Produce.	Number of Mines	Annual produce.										Remarks.
			Arch stone.	Burnt stones	Correls.	Slabs.	Sized stone.	Rough stone.	Metal.	Laterite.	Gravel.	Lime stone	
Coorg	Nil.	No. I SUB DIVISIN											
		Quarries.											
		Rungasamudra .	400cft.		..	1,500sqft		.	.		...	..	
		Chenayankote ..	250cft.	...	..	.	...	..	...	...	.	.	
		Ali Topu	...	...		120cft.	850cft.	...	...	...	...	...	
		Guttadahalla ..	...	..	..	..	400cft.	...	..	.	.	...	
		No. II. SUB DIVISION.											
		72 quarries	...	..	.	399cft.	581cft.	293cyds.	330 cyds	968cyds.	3071cyds.	.	
		No. III. SUB DIVISION.											
		18 quarries	..			...	462cyds.	.	740cyds.	.	1,000cyds	...	

III. H. MANUFACTURES. 1885—86.

	Class of Manufactures.												
	Silk.	Cotton.	Wool.	Other Fibres.	Pot and Tile makers	Wood.	Iron.	Brass and Copper.	Building.	Tailors.	Goldsmiths.	Cbucklers.	Soda water.
Number of mills and large manufactures ...	..	...	..	..	1	1	1	..	...	.	...	...	1
Private looms and small works	...	123	..	5	85	90	90	20	85	90	90	40	...
Number of men on large works ... { Males ...	...	...		...	25	.	...	..	..	..	...	..	2
Number of men on large works ... { Females ...	..	..		...	15		...	...	...	.	.	...	2
Number of workmen in small works or independent Artizans	.	123	...	5	250	96	158	24	171	90	171	55	..
Number of European Superintendent in large works	.	.	..	..	1	.	...	...	...	...	...	...	
Value of Block in do . Rs .	.	...	..		40,000	..	...	...	...	...	..	...	.
Estimated annual out-turn of all works Rs .	..	1100	.	450	25,000	18,600	28,800	5,760	23,080	16,200	30,960	5,940	1,000

III I. TRADE.

1. *Imports*, 1885—86.

Major Head.		Quantity	Value.	Place from which imported.
Agricultural implements	...	..	10,000 0 0	Mangalore, Tellicherry and Madras.
Animals living	No .	14,920	64,000 0 0	Mysore.
Apparel including haberdashery and millinery	..	.	3 000 0 0	Madras and Bombay.
Arms and Ammunition			2,500 0 0	Do do
Books and printed matter including maps and charts	..	.	4,000 0 0	Mangalore, Bangalore and Madras.
Building and engineering materials			17,570 0 0	Mangalore and Tellicherry.
Candles . ..	..	...	1,700 0 0	Madras.
Coir manufactured	..	..	6,200 0 0	Tellicherry and Mangalore.
Cotton . . .	..		3,000 0 0	Mysore and Madras.
Manufactured piece goods		.	1,25,000 0 0	Bombay Madras, Madura, Salem and Mysore.
Drugs and other medicines	Cwts ..	1,020	22,000 0 0	Mysore and Mangalore.
Earthernware . .	,,		1 000 0 0	Mysore.
Flax manufactures including ropes . .		.	10,000 0 0	Madras and Calcutta.
Fruits and vegetables		. .	18,900 0 0	Mysore, Mangalore and Tellicherry.
Glass and glassware		.	4,000 0 0	Mysore and Mangalore.
Grain	Cwts .	36,500	1 29,500 0 0	Mysore and Mangalore.
Gums and resins . .		. .	1,000 0 0	Mysore
Hardware and cutlery		.	2,500 0 0	Mangalore, Tellicherry and Madras.
Leather manufactures . .		.	2,000 0 0	Madras, Mysore, Mangalore and Trichinopoly.
Liquors . . .		.. ...	49 000 0 0	Madras.
Machines and small works		. ..	3,000 0 0	Madras.
Metals		.	52,500 0 0	Madras, Mysore and Mangalore
Oils . .	Cwts	4,000	54,800 0 0	Mysore, Mangalore and Tellicherry.
Paper and pasteboards			11,000 0 0	Mysore, Madras, Mangalore and Tellicherry.
Provisions . ..	Cwts	21,840	1,83,180 0 0	Bombay, Madras, Mysore and Tellicherry.
Salt	Cwts	21,200	1,27,200 0 0	Mangalore and Tellicherry.
Spices .. .	Do ..	4,560	30,150 0 0	Mysore, Mangalore and Tellicherry.
Sugar and saccharine produce ...	Do ...	6,180	49,900 0 0	Mysore and Tellicherry.
Silk	Do	..	2,900 0 0	Madras and Mysore.
Tobacco		900	19,000 0 0	Bombay, Mangalore and Tellicherry.
Umbrellas .		...	4,500 0 0	Madras and Mangalore.
Wood and timber manufactures		..	11,400 0 0	Mysore, Madras and Mangalore.
Wool and woollen manufactures including cumblies		...	7,500 0 0	Tellicherry and Mysore
Sundries		.	50,000 0 0	Mysore, Mangalore, and Tellicherry.
Treasure .			6,31,000 0 0	Madras, Bombay, Mysore and Tellicherry.
Government stores ...		.	6 000 0 0	Madras.
	Total		17,25,090 0 0	

2. *Exports*, 1885—86.

Major Heads.		Quantity.	Value.	To which exported
Coffee	Cwts .	67,542	1,6,21000 0 0	Mangalore, Tellicherry, Bangalore, Madras.
Drugs .	...	.	15,60 0 0	Mangalore and Bangalore.
Fruits	...	.	17, 700 0 0	Mangalore and Mysore
Grain and pulse . . .	. .	.	49,000 0 0	Tellicherry and other places in Malabar, Mysore.
Hides and horns			10,000 0 0	Mysore and Tellicherry.
Ganja	...	.	500 0 0	Mysore.
Spices	Cwts	18,20	14, 5000 0 0	Mangalore, Tellicherry and Mysore.
Tobacco	.	..	... .	
Wax		.	900 0 0	Mysore.
Wood	...		33,400 0 0	Mysore
Treasure	.	..	1,95,000 0 0	Madras
	Total ..		20,74,660 0 0	

III. K. COINAGE AND CURRENCY.

1. *Coinage*, 1885—86.

	Bullion and Silver coins imported during the year.						Coined during the Year.								Sovereigns imported during the year.	Estimated Value of coins in circulation.					
	Gold		Silver.		Copper											Gold.		Silver		Copper.	
	By State.	Private.	By State	Private.	By State	Private	Gold Mohurs	Rupees	Half Rupees	Quarter Rupees.	1 Rupees.	Double Pice	Single Pice	Small Coins.	Total Value.		Government.	Native.	Government.	Native.	Government.	Native.
Coorg.	.	.	750	.	72,488	.	.	...		...	...		...	.	.	...	Rs 15,000	Rs 5,00	Rs 300,000	..	Rs 22,000	..

2. *Paper Currency* 1885—86.

Notes in circulation at the beginning of the Year.						Total value of Notes cash ed during the year.	Total value of Notes issued during the year.	In circulation at the end of the year.						Reserve at the end of the year stated in rupees.					
Small Notes under Rs. 50		Notes Rs. 50 and under Rs. 500.		Large Notes of Rs. 500 and upwards.				Small notes under Rs. 50.		Notes of Rs. 50 and under Rs. 500.		Large Notes of Rs. 500 and upwards		Coin,			Bullion.		
No	Rs.	No	Rs	No.	Rs			No	Rs	No.	Rs	No.	Rs.	Gold.	Silver.	Copper	Gold	Silver.	Copper.
17	280	184	16,450	4	2,000	1,49,400	1,27,165	10	100	943	82,100	55	32,500	.	...	..	...	...	...

III. L. CHARITABLE INSTITUTIONS.

Charitable Institutions of the Province of Coorg for the year 1885—186.

Class and Order of Institutions.	Number of Institutions	Average Number of persons daily aided.	Number added in the year.	Increase. Paid by Government.	Increase. From Endowment. In Land.	Increase. From Endowment. In Money.	Subscription.	In-door.	Out-door	General.	In what shape Relief is given.
Civil Dispensary, Mercara ...	1	116·77	9,341	3,291 11 6 (a)	.	164-14-7	1,885 14 8	265	9076	1	Medicine and food.
Do Virarajendrapett ..	1	24·87	4,884	2,735 7 6 (b)	...	..	37 8 0	249	4635	1	Do
Inams to Chuttrums.	...	.	...	...	...	...	...	..	..		
Government Institutions	...	...	...	.	...	...	..	..	...	...	
Poor Houses	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	..	..	...	
General ..	4	143	52,485	6,730 10 7	.	...	...	..	..	4	Food
For blind	...	...	...	..	...	...	...	..	..	...	1. Mercara Ookareshvar pagoda Rs. 380-0-0
Deaf	...	...	...	...	..	..	...	...	...	...	2. Bhagamandla 3956-10-7
Lepers	...	...	...	...	...	...	..	..	...	...	3. Rajahs' Tombs 2,000-0-0
Supposed by general public to relieve paupers	...	.	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	4. Irpu Pagoda 400-0-0
											6,736-10-7
For blind	...	...	...	.	...	...	...	...	...	..	Lodging and food.
Deaf	...	..	...	...	...	...	...	...	.	...	1. Ramana Frazerpet.
Hindus ..		..	...	...	...	.	...	...	...	...	2. Kolavanda Iyappa Virarajendrapett.
Brahmins ...	3	87	32,070	...	...	...	..	..	.	...	3. Nagiah Mercara.

(a) Paid by Municipality of Mercara including Rs. 300 contributed from District Funds
(b) Do Veerajendrapet 600 Do
(c) Paid by Government.

IV. STATISTICS OF INSTRUCTION.

A. ECCLESIASTICAL.

Return of Persons according to Religious Denominations in the Province of Coorg for the year 1885—86.

1	2		3	4	5			6
Denominations	Number of Persons. Natives.	Others.	Number of Ministers or Priests.	Number of Churches or buildings designed or used for worship.	Total Annual Income from Government.			Remarks.
Church of England	10	140						
Church of Scotland ...		60	.	2	1,527	8	1	1 At Mercara 1 In the Bamboo District
Protestant Dissenters	..	12						2
Roman Catholics	2,030	94	2	5	240	0	0	Mercara, Virajendrapett, Suntikoppa, Fraserpett, Ammatti
Greek Church								
Armenian								
Syrian ...								
Basel Evangelical Mission Society	244	19	3	2				
Pagan ..	21			...	..			
Hindu	162,489	.	725	1,336	24,343	1	7	In cash Rs 13,785—15—7 Endowment „ 990—5—0 Land ... „ 9,566—13—0 Total 24,343—1—7
Mahomedan	12,541	.	15	16	54	0	0	Land Rs. 38—0—0 Cash .. „ 16—0—0 Total 54—0—0
Jain	99	.	3	3	41	10	8	Land
Total	177,434	325	748	1,364	26,205	4	4	

B. SCIENTIFIC AND LITERARY SOCIETIES.

1 *Annual Return in the Province of Coorg for the Year* 1885—86.

Name	Objects	Income. From Government	From Members	Subscriptions / Donations / Sale of books	Total	Members or Visitors. Males.	Females.	Boys under	Total	Registered or not	When Established
Mercara Book Club	To provide books for the use of the European inhabitants	..		Balance 97—8—3 Subscriptions 1,142—6—0 Sale of books 24—15—8 1,264—7—11	1268-7-11	52	.	...	52	1st January 1874	
Mercara Literary Union	Subscribes to newspapers and holds periodical discussion meetings	.	..	Rs. 366	366	33		...	33	June 1882	

THE PRESS.

2. *Annual Return in the Province of Coorg for the Year* 1885—86.

1	2	3	4	
			Publications thereat.	
District.	Name of press.	Name of Proprietor.	News Papers	Periodicals.
Coorg.	Mercara Jail Press.	Government.	Nil.	The Coorg District Gazette published on the 1st of each month.

1. *Abstract Return of Colleges, Schools and Scholars in Coorg at the end of the official year* 1885—86.—(*For Details see General Table III.*)

Area and Population.				Public Institutions							Private Institutions			Percentages of—	Remarks.
				University Education.		School Education, General.		School Education, Special.							
Total Area in square miles	Number of Towns and Villages.	Population.		Arts Colleges.	Professional Colleges	Secondary Schools.	Primary Schools.	Training Schools.	All other Special Schools.	Total Public Institutions.	Advanced.	Elementary.	Grand Total.		
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15	16
			Institution — For Males		...	3	68	1	...	72	...	32	104	Institutions to No. of Towns and Villages — 20·1	
			Institution — For Females			..	3	...		3	...	...	3	Institutions to No. of Towns and Villages — ·6	
			Total ...	..	...	3	71	1	...	75	.	32	107	20·7	
1582·81	Towns 5 Villages 512 Total .. 517	Males 1,00,479 Females 77,853 1,78,332													
			Scholars. — Males		..	423	2,988	14	..	3,425	..	491	3,919	Male scholars to male population of school going age — 6·2	
			Scholars. — Females	..		13	479	.	..	489	..	40	529	Female Scholars to female population of school-going age — 4·5	
			Total ...	.	...	436	3,467	14	...	3,917	...	531	4,448		

A town contains 5,000 inhabitants or upwards. A village contains less than 5,000 inhabitants. A Municipality, whatever its population, should be entered as a town. The population of school-going age is taken at 15 per cent of the whole population.

2. *Abstract Return of Expenditure on Public Instruction in Coorg for the official year* 1885—86.—(*For Details see General Table IV.*)

	Total Direct Expenditure on Public Instruction.							Total Indirect Expenditure on Public Instruction.								Total Expenditure on Public Instruction.	Remarks.
	University Education.		School Education, General.		School Education, Special.												
	Arts Colleges.	Professional Colleges.	Secondary Schools.	Primary Schools.	Training Schools.	All other Special Schools.	Total.	University.	Direction.	Inspection.	Scholarships.	Buildings.	Special Grants for Furniture and Apparatus.	Miscellaneous.	Total.		
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15	16	17	18
	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	
1. Institutions .. { For Males	...	..	13,232	11,828	1,357	...	26,417	...	...	2,205	1,830	1,889	2,468	4,941	13,333	39,750	
{ For Females	...	...	...	804	...	.	804	...	...	...	...	..	...	...	...	804	
Total	...	...	13,232	12,632	1,357	.	27,221	...	...	2,205	1,830	1,889	2,468	4,941	13,333	40,554	
2. (*a*) Percentages * of Provincial Expenditure included in columns 2—17 to Total Provincial Expenditure on Education	...	...	42·2	19·3	6·8	...	59·3	...	...	11·1	3·2	3·8	..	22·6	40·7	100	
(*b*) Percentages * of Local Fund Expenditure included in columns 2—17 to Total Local Fund Expenditure on Public Instruction	...	.	...	76	...	...	76	...	...	...	·5	...	23·5	...	24	100	
(*c*) Percentages * of Municipal Expenditure included in columns 2—17 to Total Municipal Expenditure on Public Instruction...	...	...	8·2	72·5	...	...	80·7	...	...	. .	.	19·3	...	...	19·8	100	
(*d*) Percentages * of Total Expenditure in columns 2—17 to Total Expenditure on Public Instruction ...	...	...	32·6	31·2	3·3	...	67·1	...	...	5·4	4·5	4·6	6·8	12	32·9	100	
3. Average Annual † Cost *of educating each Pupil* in—	R. A. P.	R. A. P.	R. A. P.	R. A. P.	R. A. P.	R. A. P.	R. A. P.										
Departmental Institutions . { Cost to Provincial Revenues ...	...	. .	22 6 7	7 11 9	96 14 10	...	18 15 5										
{ Cost to Local and Municipal Funds ..	...	. .	...	2 13 8	...	...	2 13 8										
Total Cost	...	. .	32 4 8	3 4 5	96 14 10	...	6 7 4										
Local Fund Schools‡ . . { Cost to Provincial Revenues ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...										
{ Cost to Local Funds	...	.	...	...	...	...	...										
Total Cost.....	...	...	...	...	..	...	..										
Municipal Schools§ ... { Cost to Provincial Revenues ..	. .	...	...	...	..	...	...										
{ Cost to Municipal Funds ..	...	...	2 4 2	5 8 10	...	...	4 12 9										
Total Cost.....	...	...	11 7 4	6 3 7	...	. .	7 6 10										
Institutions in Native States { Cost to Native State Revenues ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...										
{ Cost to Local & Municipal Funds ..	...	...	...	...	...	...	...										
Total Cost.....	...	...	...	...	...	...	.										
Aided Institutions ... { Cost to Provincial Revenues ..	...	...	70 9 5	4 4 2	..	...	12 5 0										
{ Cost to Local & Municipal Funds . .	...	...	...	13 12 0	...	...	13 12 0										
Unaided do ... ... Total Cost. .	...	...	121 2 9	9 9 10	...	...	22 6 11										
Total Cost.....	...	...	...	...	...	...	...										
All Institutions ... { Cost to Provincial Revenues ..	...	...	24 13 7	6 6 3	96 14 10	...	17 9 2										
{ Cost to Local & Municipal Funds ..	...	...	2 4 2	3 1 9	...	...	3 1 5										
Total Cost	...	...	32 1 10	3 11 11	96 14 10	...	7 2 8										

* The Percentage required for 2 (a), 2 (b), 2 (c) are to be calculated from the figures given in columns 7 7 b, 7 c, respectively of General Table IV.

† The annual cost is calculated on the direct expenditure only. The average cost of educating each pupil is obtained by dividing the direct expenditure by the average number on the rolls monthly during the year.

‡ The average cost of each pupil in Local Fund and Municipal Schools to be obtained from the figures given in General Table VII.

§ Fractions of a rupee should be omitted, except in the columns showing the average annual cost of educating each pupil.

IV B. EDUCATION.

3. *Return of Colleges, Schools and Scholars in Coorg for the official year* 1885—86.

Class of Institutions.	Public Institutions. Under Public Management. Maintained by the Department. Number of Institutions.	Number of Scholars on the Rolls on the 31st March.	Average Number on the Rolls monthly during the year.	Average Daily Attendance.	Maintained by Local Fund and Municipal Boards. Number of Institutions.	Number of Scholars on the Rolls on 31st March.	Average Number on the Rolls monthly during the year.	Average Daily Attendance.	Maintained by Native States. Number of Institutions.	Number of Scholars on the Rolls on 31st March.	Average Number on the Rolls monthly during the year.	Average Daily Attendance.	Under Private Management. Aided by the Department or by Local Fund or Municipal Boards. Number of Institutions.	Number of Scholars on the Rolls on 31st March.	Average Number on the Rolls monthly during the year.	Average Daily attendance.	Unaided. Number of Institutions.	Number of Scholars on the Rolls on 31st March.	Average Number on the Rolls monthly during the year.	Average Daily Attendance.	Grand Total of Public Institutions.	Grand Total of Scholars on the 31st of March.	Number of Scholars on the 31st of March learning. English.	A Classical Language.	A Vernacular Language.	Classification of Scholars on the 31st of March according to Race or Creed. Europeans and Eurasians.	Native Christians.	Hindus [not Coorgs].	Mohammadans.	Coorgs.	Others.	Remarks.
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15	16	17	18	19	20	21	22	23	24	25	26	27a	27b	27c	27d	27e	27f	28
University Edution.																																
Arts Colleges.																																
English ...																																
Oriental ...																																
Colleges or Departments of Colleges for Professional Training																																
Law ...																																
Medicine ...																																
Engineering ...																																
Total																																
School Education, General.																																
Secondary Schools.																																
For Boys ... English ...	1	330	319	272	1	86	76	70				...	1	20	17	13				...	3	436	436	5	41[illegible]	20	5	100	8	301	2	426 Boys+10 Girls.
For Boys ... Vernacular ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...					...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	
For Girls ... English ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...				...	...			...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	
For Girls ... Vernacular ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...				...	...		...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	
Total.....	1	330	319	272	1	86	76	70	...	...		...	1	20	17	13	...	...	...	...	3	436	436	5	416	20	5	100	8	301	2	
Primary Schools.																																
For Boys ...	61	3069	3000	2205	5	254	255	203	...	...	...	...	2	89	82	67		...	...	...	68	3412	140	...	3412	...	88	1002	151	2138	33	2,897 Boys+425 Girls.
For Girls ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...		...			3	55	49	35	...		...	...	3	55	...	...	55	...	29	13	...	13	...	1 Boy+54 Girls.
Total.....	61	3069	3000	2205	5	254	255	203	...	...	...	...	5	144	131	102			...		71	3467	140		3467	...	117	1015	151	2151	33	2,988 Boys + 479 Girls.

Schools for Special Instruction.

School Education, Special.	Training Schools for Masters			1	14	14	12														1	14	..	14	14			5	..	9	... 14 Boys.
	Do for mistresses	...	...																												
	School of Art	...	...																												
	Law Schools ..	.	.																												
	Medical Schools	...	...																												
	Engineering and Surveying Schools		...																												
	Industrial Schools	...	..																												
	Other Schools	..	...																												
	Total..			1	14	14	12	...	.	..	..	...	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	14	..	14	14	..	...	5	...	9	... 14 Boys.
Total of Colleges and Schools of Public Instruction.			...	63	3413	3333	2489	6	340	331	273	...	..	..	..	6	164	148	115	...	...	..	75	3917	576	19	3897	20	122	1170	159	2461	35	435 Girls in Boys' Schools. 1 Boy in Girls' Schools.

Private Institutions.	1. Advanced Teaching—																														
	(a) Arabic : Persian ...	.	.	.																											
	(b) Sanskrit	.	...	...	..	..																									
	(c) Any other Oriental Classic	.	...	.	..																										
	2. Elementary, Teaching a Vernacular only or mainly ...																														

3. *Return of Schools for Europeans and Eurasians in Coorg for the Official year* 1885-86.

		Public Institutions. Under Private Management				Number of scholars on the 31st March learning.			Class Return of scholars on 31st March according to race or creed			Remarks.
		Aided by the Department.										
		No. of Institutions.	No. of Scholars on the rolls on the 31st March.	Average No. on the rolls monthly during the year.	Average daily Attendance.	English.	A Classical language.	A Vernacular Language.	Europeans and Eurasians.	Hindus.	Native Christians.	
Secondary Schools.												
For Boys.	English	1	20	17	13	20	5	.	20	..	...	11 Boys and 9 Girls.
	Vernacular .	..	.	..	..	...	...	.	...	...	...	
	Total ..	1	20	17	13	20	5	...	20	...	...	

IV. B EDUCATION.

4. *Return of Expenditure on Public Instruction in Coorg for the official year 1885—86.*

Object of Expenditure.	Public Institutions. Under Public Management. Maintained by the Department: Provincial Revenues.	Local Rates or Cesses.	Municipal Funds.	Fees.	Subscriptions.	Endowment and other sources.	Total.	Maintained by Local Fund and Municipal Boards: Provincial Revenues.	Local Rates or Cesses.	Municipal Funds.	Fees.	Subscriptions.	Endowment and other sources.	Total.	Maintained by Native States: Native State Revenues.	Local Rates or Cesses levied in Native States.	Municipal Funds raised in Native States.	Fees.	Subscriptions.	Endowments and other sources.	Total.	Under Private Management. Aided by the Department or by Local Fund or Municipal Board: Provincial Revenues.	Local Rates or Cesses.	Municipal Funds.	Fees.	Subscriptions.	Endowments and other sources.	Total.	Unaided: Fees.	Subscriptions.	Endowments and other sources.	Total.	Total Expenditure from— Provincial Revenues.	Local Rates or Cesses.	Municipal Funds.	Fees.	All other sources.	Grand Total.	Remarks.
	2a	2b	2c	2d	2e	2f	2	3a	3b	3c	3d	3e	3f	3	4a	4b	4	4	4e	4f	4	5a	5b	5c	5d	5e	5f	5	6a	6c	6	7a	7b	7c	7d	7e	7	8
Arts Colleges.																																						
University Education: English																																						
Oriental																																						
Colleges or Departments of Colleges for Professional Training.																																						
Law																																						
Medicine																																						
Engineering																																						
Total.....																																						
Secondary Schools.																																						
School Education, General: For Boys ... English ...	7,149	...	...	3,152	...	...	10,301		...	172	699		...	871				...	...	...		1,200		...	770	...	90	2,060	...	...	...	8,349	...	172	4,621	90	13,232	
Vernacular ...																																						
„ Girls ... English ...																																						
Vernacular ...																																						
Total ...	7,149	...	...	3,152	...	...	10,501	...	...	172	699	...	...	871				...	...	...		1,200	...	...	770	...	90	2,060	...	...	...	8,349	...	172	4,621	90	13,232	
Primary Schools.																																						
For Boys	1,508	7,969	...	308	...	...	9,785		...	1,416	171		...	1,587	...			...	...	...	...	260	...		18	...	178	456	...	...	...	1,768	7,969	1,416	497	178	11,821	
" Girls																						264	...	110	24	...	406	804	...	...	...	264	...	110	24	406	804	
Total.....	1,508	7,969	...	308	...	...	9,785	...	...	1,416	171	...	...	1,587	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	524	...	110	42	...	584	1,260	...	...	...	2,032	7,969	1,526	521	584	12,632	

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IV. B. EDUCATION.

1. Return of Expenditure on the School for Europeans and Eurasians in Coorg for the official year 1885-86.

Objects of Expenditure.	Public Institutions.					Remarks.
	Under Private management. Aided by the Department					
	Provincial Revenues.	Fees.	Subscriptions.	Endowment and other sources.	Total.	
Secondary Schools.						
For Boys. English	1,200	770	.	93	2,063	
For Boys. Vernacular	.		.	.	...	
Buildings	...	...	.	733	733	
Furniture and Apparatus (special grants only)	...	...	.	.	.	
Miscellaneous	...			...	...	
Grand Total..	1,200	770	...	823	2,796	

5. *Return of the Stages of Instruction of Pupils in Public Schools for General Education in Coorg at the end of the official year,* 1885—86.

Class of Schools.	Number of Schools.	Number of pupils on the Rolls on the 31st March.	High Stage. Comprising all Pupils who have passed beyond the Lower Secondary (Middle) Stage, but have not passed the Matriculation Examination. 1			Middle Stage. Comprising all Pupils who have passed beyond the Upper Primary Stage, but have not passed beyond the Lower Secondary (Middle) Stage. 2			Upper Primary Stage. Comprising all Pupils who have passed beyond the Lower Primary Stage, but have not passed beyond the Upper Primary Stage. 3			Lower Primary Stage. Comprising all Pupils who have not passed beyond the Lower Primary Stage. 4 Reading Printed Books.			5 Not reading Printed Books.			Total.		
			Boys.	Girls.	Total.	Boys.	Girls.	Total.	Boys.	Girls.	Total.	Boys.	Girls.	Total.	Boys.	Girls.	Total.	Boys.	Girls.	Total.
Secondary Schools—																				
For Boys — Departmental — English	1	330	50		50	147	1	148	39	...	39	93	..	93	...	...	...	329	1	330
For Boys — Departmental — Vernacular																				
For Boys — Local Fund — English																				
For Boys — Local Fund — Vernacular																				
For Boys — Municipal — English	1	86	.		..	43		43	23	...	23	20	...	20	...	...	...	36	...	86
For Boys — Municipal — Vernacular																				
For Boys — Native States — English																				
For Boys — Native States — Vernacular																				
For Boys — Aided — English	1	20	..	.	...	2	3	5	4	1	5	4	5	9	1	..	1	11	9	20
For Boys — Aided — Vernacular																				
For Boys — Unaided — English																				
For Boys — Unaided — Vernacular																				
For Boys — Total	3	436	50	.	50	192	4	196	66	1	67	117	5	122	1	.	1	426		436
For Girls — Departmental — English																				
For Girls — Departmental — Vernacular																				
For Girls — Local Fund — English																				
For Girls — Local Fund — Vernacular																				
For Girls — Municipal — English																				
For Girls — Municipal — Vernacular																				
For Girls — Native States — English																				
For Girls — Native States — Vernacular																				
For Girls — Aided — English																				
For Girls — Aided — Vernacular																				
For Girls — Unaided — English																				
For Girls — Unaided — Vernacular																				
For Girls — Total																				
Total Secondary Schools.....	3	436	50	.	50	192	4	196	66	1	67	117	5	122	1	...	1	426	10	436
Primary Schools—																				
For Boys — Departmental	61	3,069	...	..	.	...	...	..	749	59	808	1,982	299	2,281	...	...	...	2,711	358	3,069
For Boys — Local Fund	3	254	..	..	...	..	.	...	86	7	93	123	38	161	...	...	..	203	45	254
For Boys — Municipal																				
For Boys — Native States																				
For Boys — Aided	2	89	.	...	...	...	...	.	22	13	35	45	9	54	...	...	...	67	22	89
For Boys — Unaided																				
For Boys — Total	66	3,412	..	...	...	...	..	..	857	79	936	2,130	346	2,476	...	...	...	2,987	425	3,412
For Girls — Departmental																				
For Girls — Local Fund																				
For Girls — Municipal																				
For Girls — Native States																				
For Girls — Aided	3	55	...	...	...	...	...	...	..	8	8	1	46	47	...	...	..	1	54	55
For Girls — Unaided																				
For Girls — Total	3	55	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	8	8	1	46	47	...	...	...	1	54	55
Total Primary Schools	71	3,467	...	...	...	...	...	...	857	87	944	2,131	392	2,523	...	...	...	2,988	479	3,467
Grand Total	74	3,903	50	...	50	192	4	196	923	88	1,011	2,248	397	2,645	1	...	1	3,414	489	3,903

5. *Return of the Stages of Instruction of Pupils in the Public Schools for Europeans and Eurasians in Coorg at the end of the official year* 1885—86.

Class of Schools.	Number of Schools.	Number of Pupils on the Roll on the 31st March.	Middle Stage. Comprising all pupils who have passed the Upper Primary Stage, but have not passed the Lower Secondary Stage (Middle Stage)			Upper Primary Stage. Comprising all pupils who have passed beyond the Lower Primary Stage, but have not passed beyond the Upper Primary Stage.			Lower Primary Stage. Comprising all Pupils who have not passed beyond the Lower Primary Stage								
									Reading Printed Books.			Not reading Printed Books.					
			Boys.	Girls.	Total.	Boys.	Girls.	Total	Boys	Girls.	Total	Boys	Girls	Total.	Boys.	Girls.	Total.
Secondary Schools.																	
For Boys. Aided — English	1	20	2	3	5	4	1	5	4	5	9	1		1	11	9	20
For Boys. Aided — Vernacular	..	...	..	...	..	...	...	..	...	.	.	.	.	.	..	...	...
Total ...	1	20	2	3	5	4	1	5	4	5	9	1	...	1	11	9	20

6. *Return showing the Results of Prescribed Examinations in Coorg during the official year* 1885.—86.

Nature of Examination.	Number of Institutions sending Examinees.				Number of Examinees					Number Passed.					Race or Creed of Passed Scholars.					
	Institutions under Public Management.	Aided Institutions.	Other Institutions.	Total.	Institutions under Public Management.	Aided Institutions.	Other Institutions.	Private Students.	Total.	Institutions under Public Management.	Aided Institutions.	Other Institutions.	Private Students.	Total.	Europeans and Eurasians.	Native Christians.	Hindus (not Coorgs).	Muhammedans.	Coorgs.	Others.
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15	16*a*	16*b*	16*c*	16*d*	16*e*	16*f*
Arts Colleges—																				
1 Master of Arts																				
2 Bachelor of Arts																				
3 B. Sc.																				
4 First B. A.																				
4 First B. Sc.																				
4 First Arts																				
4 Previous Examination ...																				
Colleges for Professional Training—																				
Law—																				
1 Doctor of Law																				
2 Bachelor of Law																				
Medicine—																				
1 M. D.																				
2 M. B.																				
3 L. M. S.																				
4 First M. B.																				
4 First L. M. S.																				
Engineering—																				
1 M. C. E.																				
2 B. C. E.																				
3 L. C. E.																				
4 First L. C. E.																				
Schools of General Education—																				
Matriculation ... Boys		1	...	...	1	11	...	...	12	23	10	...	...	1	11	...	...	6	...	5	...
Matriculation ... Girls		...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Public Service Certificate Examination (Middle School Examination) ... English ...		1	...	...	1	28	...	...	13	41	7	...	...	5	12	...	...	3	...	9	...
Public Service Certificate Examination (Middle School Examination) ... Vernacular ...																					
Schools of Special Instruction—																				
1 Training School Examination for Masters { Upper * ...		1	...	...	1	8	...	...	1	9	8	...	...	1	9	...	...	5	...	4	...
1 Training School Examination for Masters { Lower ...		...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
2 Training School Examination for Mistresses { Upper ...		...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
2 Training School Examination for Mistresses { Lower ...		...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
3 School of Arts Examination ...																					
4 Vernacular Medical Examination ...																					
5 Examination in Engineering ...																					
6 Examination in Surveying ...																					
7 Industrial School Examination ...																					

* Special Upper Primary Examination.

7. *Return showing the Distribution of Local Fund and Municipal Expenditure on Public Instruction in Coorg for the official year 1885—86.*

Objects of Expenditure.	Expenditure Local Fund Boards on Public Instruction.															Expenditure of Municipal Boards on Public Instruction.													
	In Institutions maintained by Local Fund Boards.											In Institutions maintained by—				In Institutions maintained by Municipal Boards.								In Institutions maintained by—					
	Number of Institutions.	Number of Scholars on the Rolls on the 31st of March.	Average Number on the Rolls monthly during the year.	Average Daily Attendance.	Provincial Grants.	Local Rates in Cases.	Municipal Grants.	Fees.	Subscriptions.	Endowments and other sources.	Total	The Department.	Municipal Boards.	Private Persons or Associations.	Total Local Fund Expenditure on Public Instruction.	Number of Institutions.	Number of Scholars on the Rolls on the 31st of March.	Average Number on the Rolls monthly during the year.	Average Daily Attendance.	Provincial Grants.	Municipal Rates.	Local Fund Grants.	Fees.	Subscriptions.	Endowments and other sources.	Total.	The Department.	Local Fund Boards.	Private Persons or Associations.	Total Municipal Expenditure on Public Instructions.	Total Expenditure of Local Fund and Municipal Boards on Public Instruction	Remarks.
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15	16	17	18	19	20	21	22	23	24	25	26	27	28	29	30	31	32	33
University Education.																																
Arts Colleges.																																
English																																
Oriental																																
Colleges or Departments of Colleges for Professional Training																																
Law																																
Medicine																																
Engineering																																
Total																																
School Education, General.																																
Secondary Schools.																																
For Boys { English		...	..					...		...		...	..			1	86	76	70	...	172	..	699		..	871	.	...	...	172	172	
For Boys { Vernacular																																
For Girls { English																																
For Girls { Vernacular																																
Total		...	.	..	.	.	.	.	..	..	.	..			.	1	86	76	70	.	172	..	699	.	..	871		.	.	172	172	
Primary Schools.																																
For Boys		...	..	..	.	.	.	..	..	..	.	7,969		...	7,969	5	254	255	203	.	1413	..	171	.	.	1,587	...	.	.	1,416	9,385	
For Girls		..															...		...	..			...	.	...				110	110	110	
Total		.	.	.		.		..	.	.	...	7,969	...	...	7,969	5	254	255	203	. .	1416	..	171	..		1,587	.	..	110	1,526	9,495	
School Education, Special.																																
Schools for Special Instruction.																																
Training Schools for Masters																																
Training Schools for Mistresses																																
Schools of Art																																
Law Schools																																
Medical Schools																																
Engineering and Surveying Schools																																
Industrial Schools																																
Other Schools																																
Total																																
Inspection																																
Scholarships held in— Arts Colleges												52	..	..	52		...	...	..	..		..	...		..	..		..	...	..	...	52	
Professional Colleges																																
Secondary Schools																																
Primary Schools																																
Special Schools other than Training Schools																																
Buildings		...	...	...								...	...	.	...		..	...	...	500	406	...	...	...	.	906	..	...	...	406	406	
Furniture and Apparatus (Special Grants only)		...	..	...								2,468	...	...	2,468		.	...	...	...	.	...	..	..	..	...	...	...	...	...	2,468	
Miscellaneous																																
Total		..	...	...								2,520	.	...	2,520	..	.	.	.	500	406	...	...	..	...	906	..	...	...	406	2,926	
Grand Total		...	...	...								10,489	..	...	10,489	6	340	331	273	500	1994	...	870	..	...	3,384	...	...	110	2,104	12,593	

APPENDIX.

Standard.	Subject.	Text-Book.	Portion.	Remarks.
First.	Canarese Prose.	Garthwaite's First Book—Part I.	The whole 64 pp.	
	Object Lessons.	None.	...	To be taught orally
	Arithmetic.	Do	Multiplication Table; Notation and Numeration up to 100; Mental addition and Subtraction.	Do
Second	Canarese Prose	Garthwaite's First Book—Part II.	The whole 112 pp.	
		or Kathasaptati.	Do 107 pp.	
	Object Lessons.	Object Lesson by the Bangalore Tract and Book Society	The whole.	
	Arithmetic.	None.	Simple addition and Subtraction, Multiplication by two figures.	To be taught orally.
Third	Canarese Prose.	Second Book* Madras Readers, Canarese Series,	The whole.	* In the Press.
		or Mangalore Second Book,	Do 136 pp.	
		or Kathamanjari.	Do 135 pp.	
	Grammar.	None.	Parts of Speech, &c.	To be taught orally
	Arithmetic.	Anke ganita.	The four Simple Rules.	
			Tables of Indian Money.	
	Geography.	Geography of Coorg, Mangalore Ed. and the Madras Presidency.	The whole pp. 32.	
	Hygiene.	Sanitary Primer (Cunningham.)	The whole 59 pp.	The Canarese translation
		or The way to Health (C.V.E S. Madras.)	Do 64 pp.	Do
Fourth B.	Canarese Prose.	Third Book, Madras Readers, Canarese Series,	The whole 116 pp.	
		or Æsop's Fables (Bangalore Edition.)	Do 214 pp.	
		or Kathasangraha Volume-I.	Part III 149 pp.	Extracts from the Mahabharata.
	Arithmetic.	Anke ganita.	Compound Rules and Reduction.	
	Grammar.	Balavyakarana (Mangalore Edition.)	The whole.	An easy grammar.
		or Campbell's Elementary Grammar.	Do	
	Geography.	Duncan's Asia.	The whole	
		A short account of the Madras Presidency.	Do	
	Hygiene.	Arogyamargadarshini.	84 pp.	A treatise on health.
	Agriculture.	Harmann's Agricultural Class Book or	80 pp.	
		Robertson's Agricultural Primer.	The first half.	
Fourth A.	Canarese Prose.	Fourth Book,* Madras Readers, Canarese.	The whole	*In preparation.
		or Kathasangraha Vol. II.	Part. IV. do pp. 193.	Extracts from the Ramayana.
		or Nitichintamani.	Parts. I & II. pp. 191.	A moral Reader.
	Canarese Poetry.	Padya Sara.	pp. 1—5 and 17—28.	
		or Kavya Punja.	The whole.	
	Grammar.	Shalavyakar. na or Vagvidhayani.	The whole.	An advanced grammar.
	Arithmetic.	Anke ganita.	Vulgar Fractions, Rule of Three, Simple and Compound Practice, Simple Interest and Square Measure.	
	Geography.	Duncan's Asia, Europe, America, Africa and Australia.	The whole.	
	Hygiene.	Arogyamargadarshini.	The whole.	
	Agriculture.	Robertson's Agricultural Primer or Harman's Agricultural Class Book.	The whole.	
	Indian History.	Hinducharitradarpana Vol. I.	The whole.	

V. STATISTICS OF LIFE.

A. BIRTHS, DEATHS AND MARRIAGES.

***Return** Showing Births, Deaths and Marriages among the Population of any place or in any Class in Respect of which Particulars may have been Ascertained during the Year* 1885—86 *and the Average age at which Death Occurred.*

Races or Class.	Population of Place or Number of Class.	Number of Marriages during the Year.	Number of Births during the Year.	Number of Deaths during the Year	Average age at time of Death.
Mercara	8,383	40	105	81	25
Veerajendrapet	4,573	25	86	105	35
Kodlibet	856	13	17	13	26
Sanivarsante	733	5	12	19	35
Somvarpet	1,528	24	28	26	42
Fraserpet	1,310	18	22	38	31
Total.....	17,386	135	270	292	

V B DISPENSARIES.

1. *Statement showing the Number of Dispensaries in the Province of Coorg during the year* 1885.

1	2	3	4	5	6	7
Population of the Province.	Dispensaries.	Number open on 31st December.	Number opened during the year.	Number closed during the year.	Number open on the last day of the year	Remarks.
1,78,302	1st Class	..	...	..	...	
	2nd Class	2	...	...	2	
	3rd Class	..	..	..		
	Total	2	..	...	2	

2. *Statement showing the number of the In-door and Out-door Patients treated in the Dispensaries of the province of Coorg during the year* 1885.

1	2	3	4											5				6
			In Door Patients.											Out-Door Patients.				
			a	b	c	d	e	f	g		h			a	b	c	d	
Name of District.	Name of Dispensary.	Of what class.	Total treated during the year.	Number cured.	Number relieved.	Discharged otherwise.	Died.	Ratio of deaths per cent. of total treated.	Number of beds available.		Daily average number.			Number of treated.			Average daily attendance.	Total number of Patients treated, both In door and Out-door.
									Male.	Female.	Men.	Women.	Children.	Total.	Attended personally.	Represented by friends.	Total treated.		
Coorg ...	Civil Dispensary Mercara ...	2nd Class	278	215	9	5	49	17·62	24	8	12·32	4·68	·81	17·81	6,086	1,861	7,947	71·73	8,225
	Do Virajendrapet	2nd Class	219	163	12	...	44	20·09	8	8	4·96	·78	·06	6·11	2,777	1,758	4,535	17·58	4,754
	Total .	...	497	378	21	5	93	37·71	32	16	17·28	5·46	·87	23·92	8,863	3,619	12,482	89·31	12,979

V. B DISPENSARIES.

3. *Statement showing the Diseases of the In-door and out-door Patients treated in the Dispensaries of the Province of Coorg during the year* 1885.

1	2	3																															4	5	
		Diseases.																																Operations.	
		General Diseases.												Local Diseases.																					
		Order A, Febrile or Zymotic Diseases				Order B, Constitutional Diseases.																														
Number	Name of Dispensary.	Small-pox.	Malarious fever, ague and remittent.	Cholera.	Other diseases of this order	Rheumatic affections.	Syphilitic affections.	Scrofula.	Anæmia.	Leprosy.	Phthisis.	Dropsy.	Other diseases of this order.	Opthalmia.	Inflammation of the external ear.	Goitre.	Respiratory affections.	Heart Diseases.	Dysentery.	Diarrhœa.	Worms.	Liver Diseases.	Spleen Diseases.	Gonorrhœa and its complications.	Abscess, boils and whitlow.	Skin Diseases.	Ulcer.	Labor premature, natural and difficult.	Other Local Diseases.	Debility and old age.	Poisons and poisoned	Injuries.	Total number of in-door and out-door patients treated in each Dispensary.	Major.	Minor.
1	Mercara.	5	1,934	1	54	282	94	1	43	2	4	47	14	86	73		457	1	221	329	1,479	15	85	55	132	426	361	6	1,576	58	45	339	8,225	7	205
2	Virarajendrapet.	26	1,416	3	12	158	52	5	97	..	2	35	..	30	32		213	12	93	73	583	13	50	59	44	373	292	2	905	71	13	113	4,754	3	64
	Total.....	31	3,350	4	66	440	146	6	140	2	6	82	14	116	105	..	670	13	314	402	2,062	28	140	114	176	799	653	8	2,481	129	58	452	12,979	10	269

V. B. DISPENSARIES.

3a. *Statement showing the Results of the Major Surgical Operations performed in the Dispensaries of Coorg for the year* 1885.

Nature of Operation.	Remaining on 31st December.	Performed during the year.	Total.	Result.				Remaining under treatment.	Remarks.
				Cured.	Relieved.	Discharged otherwise.	Died.		
Civil Dispensary., Mercara.									
1 Cancer of Cheek	1	...	1	...	...	...	1	...	By Surgeon Major Robinson.
2 Amputation of forearm ...	...	1	1	1	...	...	...	...	Do
3 Staphyloma	...	1	1	...	1	...	...	...	Do
4 Cataract	...	1	1	1	...	...	...	...	Do
5 Mechanical obstruction to the action of uterus	...	1	1	...	...	...	1	...	Do
6 Protrusion of tubule ...	...	1	1	1	...	...	...	...	Do
7 Amputation of right wrist ..	...	1	1	...	...	...	...	1	Do
Civil Dispensary, Virajendrapet.									
8 Dislocation of elbow joint	...	1	1	1	...	...	...	...	Asst Surgeon K. Appiyah.
9 Hare lip	...	1	1	1	...	...	...	.	Do
10 Dislocation of shoulder joint ...	. .	1	1	1	..	...	...	..	Hospital Assistant J. Paupiah.
Total	1	9	10	6	1	...	2	1	

V. B. DISPENSARIES.

4. *Statement showing the Classes and Sexes of the In-door and Out-door Patients treated in the Dispensaries of Coorg during the year 1885.*

1	2	3				4							5							
		Total treated during the year.				Classes							Daily Attendance							
						a	b	c	d	e	f	g	Average Number.				Ratio per cent of—			
No.	Name of Dispensary.	Men.	Women.	Children.	Total.	Europeans.	Eurasians.	Hindus.	Musulmans			Other Classes.	Men.	Women.	Children.	Total.	Men.	Women.	Children.	Total.
1	Mercara	4280	1719	2226	8225	2	137	6285	1665	..		136	59·65	17·02	12·87	89·54	66·61	19·01	14·37	99·99
2	Virajendrapet	2980	784	990	4754	9	86	3449	1027			183	14·87	4·44	4·97	23·78	60·43	18·67	20·89	99·99
	Total	7260	2503	3216	12979	11	223	9734	2692		..	319	74·02	21·46	17·84	113·32	127·04	37·68	35·26	199·98

5. *Statement showing the Income and Expenditure on account of the Dispensaries in Coorg during the year 1885.*

1	2	3															4								5	6	7
		Income.															Expenditure.										
		a	b							c		d		e		f	a	b	c	d	e	f	g	h			
			From Government							Contributions				Subscriptions													
Number.	Name of Dispensary.	Cash Balance on 1st January.	As Salaries.	As Registers and forms	As European medicines.	For diet of Police cases	Sale of medicines.	Special allowances given by Government.	Total.	From Local or other Funds	From Municipal Funds	Interest on investments.	Sale of securities or withdrawal of deposits.	From Europeans.	From Natives.	Total Income.	On Establishment.	On Bazaar medicines	On European medicines whether from Government Store or purchased	On diet	On miscellaneous charges.	On building or repairs.	Invested during the year	Total Expenditure during the year	Cash Balance on 31st December	Average Cost of each Diet.	Percentage of total Cost paid by Government.
1	Mercara	0 12 0				745 7 11	219 7 3	...	994 15 2	...	2,270 15 4	120 0 0		1,617 4 11	661 2 6	5,664 5 11	1,417 7 9	11 11 0	1,551 12 6	1,957 6 8	426 0 0	390 0 0		5,664 5 11	0 12 0	0 2 9	Not shewn as the Dispensaries are maintained by the Municipalities.
2	Virajendrapet	...	...	..	...	..	1 0 0	..	1 0 0	3,342 0 0	2,829 6 5	..			93 8 0	6,265 14 5	1,794 0 0	6 0 6	608 4 3	243 1 9	208 11 5	3,495 12 6		6,265 14 5	...	0 0 7	
	Total	0 12 0	...	...	.	745 7 11	250 7 3	...	995 15 2	3,342 0 0	5,100 5 9	120 0 0	.	1,617 4 11	754 10 6	11,930 4 4	3,211 7 9	17 11 6	2,160 0 9	2,200 8 5	634 11 5	3,705 12 6	..	11,930 4 4	...	0 3 4	...

PART II,

Account of Invested Capital of the Dispensaries in Coorg for the year 1885.

No.	Names of Dispensaries.	Balance on 1st January.	Invested during the year.	Total.	Securities sold.	Deposits withdrawn	Balance on 31st December.
1	Civil Dispensary, Mercara	4,000 0 0	...	4,000 0 0	...	...	4,000 0 0
2	Do Virarajendrapet	1,900 0 0	...	1,900 0 0	...	...	1,900 0 0
	Total.....	5,900 0 0	...	5,900 0 0	.	...	5,900 0 0

V. C.—VACCINATION.

1. *Statement showing Particulars of Vaccination in the District of Coorg during the year* 1885—86.

No.	Circuit and District.	Population of District according to Census of 1881.	Average population per square mile.	Average No. of Vaccinators employed throughout the season.	Total No. of persons vaccinated.			Average No. of persons vaccinated by each Vaccinator.	Primary Vaccination.				Re-vaccination.		Percentage of successful cases.		Persons successfully vaccinated per 1,000 of population.	Average annual No. of persons successfully vaccinated during previous five years.		Average Annual No of deaths from small-pox during previous five years.	
									Total.	Successful			Total.	Successful.	Primary.	Re-vaccination.		No.	Ratio per 1,000.	No.	Ratio per 1,000.
										Under 1 year.	Over 1 & under 6 years.	Total of all ages									
1	2	3	4	5	6			7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15	16	17	18	19	20
					M.	F.	Total.														
1	Mercara Taluk ...	34,088	157·59	1	1,071	2.0	1,121	...	1,253	24	636	1,140	68	55	90·98	80·88	35·05				
2	Pa'inalknad Taluk ...	28,219	70·56	1	830	370	1,200	...	1,151	59	411	1,040	40	28	90·35	77·55	38 20				
3	Yedenalknad Do ...	41,370	205 38	2	919 1,038	583 809	1,502 1,347	...	1,434 1,231	140 137	572 726	1,340 1,065	65 116	48 86	96·44 86·51	70 58 74·13	61 37				
4	Kiggatnad Do ...	31,230	76·03	1	878	393	1,274	...	1,103	13	3.3	993	171	128	90 02	74·85	35 89				
5	Nanjarajpatna Do ...	26,934	102 25	1	738	4.7	1,235	...	1,211	254	5.1	1,164	24	18	96·11	75 00	43·80				
6	Yelusavirshime Do ...	16,411	130·70	1	653	486	1,139	...	1,036	93	618	1,013	83	63	95·92	75·90	65·56				
7	In all the above 6 Taluks by the Inspector of Vaccination	...	..	1	219	177	393	...	367	22	135	315	29	19	85·83	65 51	1 37				
	Total	178,302	112·34	8	6,346	3,058	9,414	1,176	8,505	752	4,092	8,070	603	455	91·64	74·83	47·83	4,809	26·97	356	1 99
	Mercara Municipality	8,383	...	1	244	162	406	...	406	125	231	374	...	...	92·11	...	44·61	...	...	...	...
	Verajendrapet Do	4,756	..	1	179	75	254	...	216	14	83	134	38	23	62 03	60 03	34·30	...	...	...	...
	Total Municipal.....	...	...	2	423	237	660	330	622	139	317	508	38	23	81·67	60·03	39·45	...	...	...	...
	Grand Total ...	178,302	112 64	10	6,769	3,305	10,074	1,505	9,428	891	4,409	8,578	646	478	90·98	73·99	50 79	4,809	26·97	356	1·99

V. C. VACCINATION.

2. Statement showing the Cost of the Department in the District of Coorg during the year 1885—86.

No.	Circles and Districts.	Establishment.							Expenditure.				Paid from—							
		Superintendent, General.	Superintendents of Circles.	Deputy Superintendents.	Native Superintendents.	Vaccinators. 1st Class.	Vaccinators. 2nd Class.	Chaprasis and other servants.	Pay of Establishment.	Travelling Allowance.	Contingencies.	Total Cost.	Imperial Funds.	Provincial Funds.	Local Funds.	Municipalities.	Native States.	Total.	Number of all successful vaccinations and re-vaccinations.	Average cost of each successful case.
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15	16	17	18	19	20	21
1	Coorg	...	...	...	1	...	7	...	1,560	248	...	1,808	...	1,808	...	...	...	1,808	8,525	0 3 4½

3. Statement showing Dispensary Vaccination in the District of Coorg during the year 1885—86.

District.	Number of Dispensaries in each District to which a Vaccinator is attached.	Average number of vaccinations attached to Dispensary during the season.	Total number of persons vaccinated.	Average number of persons Vaccinated by each Vaccinator.	Primary Vaccination.				Re-vaccination.		Percentage of successful cases		14
					Total.	Successful.			Total.	Successful.	Primary.	Re-Vaccination.	
						Under one year.	One & under six.	Total of all Ages.					
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14
Civil Dispensary Mercara ...	...	...	17	17	17	2	4	6	...	...	35·29	...	Vaccinated by late Mr. Jay Singh, 1st Class Hospital Assistant.
Do ...	...	...	113	113	113	7	65	93	...	...	82·30	...	Vaccinated by 2nd Class Hospital Assistant S. Abraham
Total	...	...	130	130	130	9	69	99	...	...	70·15	...	

4. *Comparative Statement showing the Number of Persons primarily vaccinated and the Number of those Persons who were successfully vaccinated in the District of Coorg in each of the undermentioned official years* 1885—86.

Establishment,	Persons Primarily vaccinated.																			
	Total Number.	Number successfully vaccinated.	Total Number.	Number Successfully vaccinated.	Total Number.	Number successfully vaccinated.	Total Number.	Number successfully vaccinated	Total Number.	Number successfully vaccinated.	Total Number.	Number successfully vaccinated.	Total Number.	Number successfully vaccinated.	Total Number.	Number successfully vaccinated.	Total Number.	Number successfully vaccinated.	Total Number.	Number successfully vaccinated.
	Years ended 31st March 1886																			
	1876-77		1877-78		1878-79		1879-80		1880-81		1881-82		1882-83		1883-84		1884-85		1885-86	
Government Inspector and Vaccinators... ...	1,222	965	1,132	846	2,509	1,880	3,075	2,609	3,717	3,362	4,693	4,279	4,734	3,897	4,615	4,037	9,516	8,473	8,806	8,070
Municipal, Mercara	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	..	...	...	...	.	...	...	...	...	823	586	406	374
Do Virajendrapet	...	...	...	...	...	..	...	...	...	...	...	..	...	...	...	...	..	...	216	134
Native States	..	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	..	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Dispensaries	132	100	164	129	190	145	241	146	77	52	498	392	214	147	715	559	138	101	130	99
Army—																				
European	16	14	37	34	17	16	29	24	26	22	30	26	23	21	36	32	9	9	12	12
Native...	1,338	1,050	1,259	941	2,682	2,010	3,287	2,730	3,768	3,392	5,161	4,645	4,925	4,023	5,294	4,564	10,468	9,151	9,546	8,665
Total.....	1,354	1,064	1,296	975	2,699	2,026	3,316	2,754	3,794	3,414	5,191	4,671	4,948	4,044	5,330	4,596	10,477	9,160	9,568	8,677

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